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DUBLIN COUNTY MANAGEMENT

CHANGES EFFECTED BY AMENDING BILL

BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

ONE provision of the County Management (Amendment) Bill seems to suggest that further suspensions of local elected bodies in Dublin are in contemplation.

The suspended Management Act of 1940 provided, *inter alia*, that the City Manager of Dublin would take over the administration of the Dublin Board of Public Assistance, whose affairs have recently been the subject of a sworn inquiry. It is accordingly significant that the Amending Bill (Section 7, Sub-Section 2) provides that the Minister for Local Government may appoint "a Commissioner or Commissioners" to manage and control the finances of any "elective body whose functional area is wholly or partly within the County of Dublin."

Should that power be exercised, the results would be that, pending the holding of local elections, the duties of the City and County Manager, and his Assistant Managers, would be confined to the administration of the affairs of the Corporation (including Howth Urban District) and of the Borough Council of Dun Laoghaire; and, that the Department of Local Government, through its Commissioners, would become directly responsible for the management and finances of the County Council and of the Dublin, Rathdown and Balrothery Boards of Public Assistance.

Another, and not irrelevant, change effected by the Amending Bill includes Acting Commissioners among officials who are eligible to become candidates for managerial posts.

[The Amending Bill is discussed in our "leader" columns to-day.—ED., *I.T.*]

MEALS FOR SCHOOL-CHILDREN

About 660 Dublin school children will receive hot meals next week, under the scheme organised by four University students, details of which have already been given in the *Irish Times*.

The students have already received £27 15s., a sum sufficient to cater for this number for the week. Whether they will be able to continue will depend on the support they receive. They have made arrangements for the delivery of the meals. Teachers in several of the schools in the poorer quarters of Dublin eagerly welcome the proposal. One of them declared that many of his pupils are not getting enough to eat.

The treasurer of the fund is Miss Jean Henry, of 17 Kenilworth square, Rathgar.

CALAIS-BOULOGNE AIR SWEEP

The British Air Ministry last night stated:—

"Six enemy fighters were destroyed during a sweep by squadrons of our fighters over the Calais-Boulogne area late this afternoon. Five of our fighters are missing."

PACIFIC WAR COUNCIL

It is understood that Mr. Mackenzie King, the Canadian Premier, is to attend the Pacific War Council on Wednesday in Washington. He will spend two or three days in Washington. —(Reuter.)

REPORTED FAILURE OF INDIAN TALKS

CONGRESS SAID TO BE UNANIMOUS

NEW DELHI, Friday.—It is understood that the Indian National Congress has given a final "No" to the British Government's draft declaration.

This decision was conveyed to Sir Stafford Cripps after the Working Committee had discussed the new formula on defence—chief stumbling block since the negotiations began a fortnight ago—and is said to have been unanimous.

The news is not officially confirmed, but significant indications that hopes of a settlement have been dashed are that Sir Stafford Cripps has summoned a Press Conference for to-morrow at noon, when he is expected to announce the outcome of his mission, and Dr. Maulana Azad, Congress President, has arranged to leave Allahabad for Calcutta to-morrow, after the publication of the Committee's main resolution and a supplementary statement.

The Congress attitude is believed to have been determined by a conclusion that the powers and functions which it was intended to transfer under the new defence formula were inadequate, and therefore unnecessary.

Sir Stafford Cripps has not yet received the Moslems' reply, but their attitude apparently is unchanged, since dissatisfaction prevails regarding the proposals for the future, and there is unequivocal adherence to the principle of pakistan.

Sir Stafford Cripps will broadcast to-morrow (Saturday) at 4 p.m. (Irish summer time). — (Press Association and Reuter.)

NEW DELHI, Friday.—It is believed that the Congress Working Committee's resolution expresses readiness to form a "truly national Government," but declares that the present proposals, as explained in the course of discussions with Sir Stafford Cripps, do not give Congress scope for such a Government.

Soon after the Congress resolution had been handed in to him Sir Stafford Cripps drove out from his residence.

Differences re-emerged over the question of defence, and other proposals on which previously it was thought that an understanding was in sight. Members of the Working Committee feel that during a detailed discussion of the new defence formula it became clear that the powers and functions which it was intended to transfer were unsatisfactory.

Dr. Azad, Congress President, said: "I placed before the Working Committee the gist of my talks with Sir Stafford Cripps yesterday. I am sending the Committee's resolution to Sir Stafford just now, and I hope to be able to give you the main resolution of the Committee and the supplementary statement to-morrow."

Dr. Azad made it clear that the resolution was a unanimous one, and said that through all the stages of the discussion the Committee had been of one mind.

The next stage of Sir Stafford Cripps's mission probably will be devoted to an attempt to secure the support of the other parties in the country for the proposals. Efforts, it is understood, are being made in this direction.

Sir Stafford Cripps called on Mr. Jinnah to-night, and discussed the proposals further with him. The Moslem leader will place the result of his talk before the Working Committee to-morrow, and will give the League's final reply to Sir Stafford Cripps before noon.

The negotiations between Sir Stafford Cripps and Congress are understood to have failed mainly owing to differences on the transfer of defence to Indian control. A plan was put forward for the division of defence functions between an Indian Defence member and the Commander-in-Chief. Among the functions offered to be transferred to an Indian Defence member were defence co-ordination, non-technical military schools, etc., the Commander-in-Chief to retain complete control in strategic and operational spheres.

It is believed that Congress, while not wholly satisfied with this demarcation, expressed general willingness to arrive at a workable understanding for the duration of the war, provided the powers and functions of the Commander-in-Chief should pass to the Defence member after the cessation of hostilities.

It is reported that the reply hitherto was to the effect that complete transfer must await the formation of the future Indian Union, envisaged by the British declaration. Congress members were wholly unprepared to accept this position.

The final communication from Congress to Sir Stafford Cripps is said to be in the form of a 1,500-word letter, setting out their arguments and considerations, and declaring that Congress is prepared to take office if the Government at the centre is a truly national one, with Cabinet responsibility, and not merely an extension of the Governor-General's Executive Council.

The various stages in the negotiations may be summed up as follows:—

First, Congress passed a resolution advising the country not to accept the original draft declaration of the British Government. Sir Stafford Cripps made revised proposals, jointly framed by Colonel Johnson, President Roosevelt's personal representative, and Sir Stafford Cripps.

Finally came the Congress reply.

It is expected that these documents will be published to-morrow.

Other points on which agreement was found impossible include a Congress demand for the virtual withdrawal of the Secretary of State's control; a Congress contention that, where the majority of the members of the Cabinet agree, the Viceroy should not exercise his veto, and the question of joint Cabinet responsibility.—(Reuter.)

WASHINGTON, Friday. — President Roosevelt declined to comment on the Indian situation, saying that he had had no report from Colonel Johnson since that received early yesterday morning along the lines of the Press reports.—(Reuter.)

"GET READY, STAND FIRM"

Mr. Herbert Morrison, British Home Secretary, discussing possible invasion, urged civilians to "get ready, and to stand firm." He told the Cornwall County Council, at Truro, that it was possible that invasion would never come, "but we should be very foolish if we acted other than on the probability that it might." The spirit of the population was aggressive, and this eager spirit was appreciated and welcomed by the Government, which, in its recent statement of policy affecting civilians in invasion, made full provision for it.

U.S. 'PLANE OUTPUT

NEW ORLEANS, Friday.—Lord Halifax, British Ambassador to Washington, who is making a tour of the United States defence industries, said that when United States 'plane production reached its full stride "this country is going to produce more 'planes in a month than the Japanese can produce in a year. This is a solid reason why we will win the war."—(Associated Press.)

BREST SIEGE WARNING

VICHY, Friday.—The German authorities notified the population of Brest to stand ready for a proclamation of a state of siege without advance notice.—(Associated Press.)

SPANISH GENERAL'S TOUR OF GIBRALTAR

Lieutenant-General Miguel Ponte Zumiga, Captain-General of Andalusia, visited General Lord Gort, Governor of Gibraltar. With General Gort he toured points of interest in the fortress, and saw a display of modern weapons. A lunch given in his honour by Lord Gort was attended by senior officers of all three fighting services and leading members of the British Colony.—(Reuter.)

MILK SUPPLIERS' DEMAND

Mr. Philip O'Mahony, Chairman, Kilkenny Farmers' Association, addressing milk suppliers in Kells, Co. Kilkenny, said that if the Government did not give milk suppliers a better price for their milk the dairying industry in this country would be ruined.

A resolution was passed demanding a price of 220s. a cwt. for butter, and, if that price was not granted, that the suppliers take action, with their creamery suppliers throughout the country, to have the demand enforced.

GATHER HERBS FOR MEDICINE

THE apathy of Government Departments towards suggestions than an organisation for the collection of herbs and the extraction from them of drugs and essential oils was referred to by the head of a large collecting organisation in this country.

He said that he had tried to get the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Industry and Commerce and the Department of Education interested in a plan for the collection of herbs by school children and the setting-up of an extraction plant to supply drugs that are becoming more and more scarce every day of the emergency. He had failed to awaken any enthusiasm in these departments and almost all of the drugs which his organisation collects are being exported. Last year he exported to England £20,000 worth of herbs for the manufacture of drugs and scents.

In England at present a big drive for the collection of these herbs is being made, and last year the school children were instructed in the kinds of herbs wanted; how to collect them, and how to transport them to the collecting centres. It is expected that this year a very much larger proportion of herbs will be gathered by the children than last year, when they were only learning. The herb-gathering has been worked into a scientific curriculum. The result is that the shortage of drugs, which was at one time regarded as grave, will be almost removed.

The quantity of herbs needed to supply drugs for this country would not be very large and for that reason it has not been regarded as an economic proposition to set up an organisation, plant, etc., to deal with them. The present situation is entirely different, and the question has become one not of economics, but of necessity. Doctors are seriously perturbed about the drug position, and they are enthusiastic about the suggestion of collecting our own herbs and extracting the drugs from them. One university Professor is experimenting on his own land with herb-growing.

ACTOR WHO NEVER WANTED TO ACT

Disbelief that British renters would cut off a supply of films to Eire because they objected to stringent censorship was expressed by Mr. Leslie Howard, the well-known film and stage actor who is making a personal

appearance on behalf of the Newspaper Press Fund at the Adelphi Cinema to-morrow. "I cannot believe that anyone wants to foist on a country propaganda that it does not want to see," said Mr. Howard when he was interviewed at the Gresham Hotel yesterday.

"I am a bit of an anomaly as an actor because I never really wanted to act," he said. "I wanted to write or direct. The acting was accidental, because I wanted a job." Mr. Howard added that he vastly preferred film work. The war had given him his opportunity to write and direct films. He had recently finished a film called "Pimpernel Smith," which was largely written and directed by himself. Mr. Howard said that he had many ideas, but his chief dream, which was being constantly postponed, was to produce a film version of "Hamlet." "I want it to be in colour, but so light that it will be almost monochrome," he said. The film was, in his opinion, the best vehicle to bring Shakespeare to modern audiences who refused, for instance, to accept the soliloquy which on the screen could be treated in a number of new ways.

Mr. Howard intends to spend a week in Dublin and, although he had not seen much of the city when interviewed, he expressed admiration for the Dublin airport. "It is a very wonderful place; quite like an American airport." As a small boy he often passed through Dublin to spend summer holidays in Ennis, Co. Clare, with an aunt.

PARISH COUNCILS

THEIR POWER TO ACT IN THE EMERGENCY

Have Parish Councils any real authority in the emergency?

Speakers at a conference of Parish Councils from Leinster in Dublin last night expressed doubt about the extent to which the Councils were entitled to act in the event of a war emergency, and it was suggested that they should be given statutory powers.

The standing of the meeting, which was attended by about eighty delegates, was challenged by Mr. Seamus O'Farrell, Clontarf, who observed that if it was an effort to start a national organisation in rivalry to Muintir-na-Tire, or to make a new political group of parish councils, then they should have nothing to do with it.

"That is the last speech of that kind that I will tolerate here," declared Mr. F. M. Summerfield, Chairman, who presided.

"You are not a dictator in this country yet, much as you are ambitious in that direction," retorted Mr. O'Farrell.

After a general discussion on the production of fuel and food in relation to transport facilities, a *liaison* advisory committee for Leinster was formed to deal with a number of suggestions concerning ways in which the Councils could do effective work.

NEW MINIMUM 'BUS FARES

From Monday next passengers boarding Bray, via Dean's Grange (No. 45) 'buses at Burgh quay must pay a minimum fare of fivepence. A minimum fare (reducing to twopence by stages) will be chargeable also until Blackrock is reached. On the Killiney service a minimum fare of three-halfpence from Dun Laoghaire will be charged.

A group taken at the Rotunda Hospital, Dublin, yesterday after the Bartholomew Mosse Commemoration Service. From left: Mr. J. Hubbard Clark (Hon. Secretary), Rev. J. C. Atkinson (Dean's Vicar), Dr. Ninian Falkiner (Master), the Archbishop of Dublin (Most Rev. Dr. Barton), Rev. W. C. de Pauley, Rev. A. W. B. Mack (Chaplain), and Mr. T. P. Kirkpatrick.

RED DRIVE NEAR KEY RAIL TOWN

ZHUKOV STILL GAINING GROUND

MOSCOW, Friday.—Reports persist that Red Army troops, who outflanked Smolensk from the north as General Zhukov developed his deep lunge between the north-western and central fronts, are now penetrating into White Russia. They are said to have crossed the frontier between Vitebsk—a vital rail junction about 80 miles west-north-west of Smolensk—and Nevel, 65 miles to the north along the main railway from the Ukraine to Leningrad.

Through Vitebsk, too, the line from Smolensk to Riga on the Baltic runs, and if the Stockholm report of this Russian advance is confirmed, then the German hold on a prize of outstanding importance faces a serious threat.

Semi-official Soviet reports still record gains on the Central front during the last twenty-four hours, but whether the German strong points occupied are in any way connected with operations on the White Russian border cannot be determined.

Meanwhile, the Southern front has been brought back into the picture with German admissions that Russian troops have been operating some 25 miles beyond Byelgorod, on the main road south to Kharkov, another 25 miles away.

In the last few days on one north-western sector, where their losses have been markedly heavy, the Germans lost nearly 4,500 men in killed alone. They died in counter-attacks into which the Germans threw reserves brought up from the rear.—(Press Association and Reuter.)

GERMAN REGIMENT'S ROUT

MOSCOW, Friday. — The 519th German Infantry Regiment has been routed, and 1,500 officers and men have been annihilated during a fierce attack by the Red Army on the western (Moscow) front, says an *Izvestia* correspondent, quoted by Tass. The Germans had made a village a central place in their defences, covering them from the rear. After sustaining heavy losses, however, they began a hasty retreat, but soon found their escape cut off. The Germans are reinforcing their battered units with fresh troops, the greater part of whom are from garrisons in France. They were hurried across Europe in express train, 'buses and lorries.—(Reuter.)

KUIBYSHEV, Friday.—"All the available indications point to the fact that we shall liquidate the Germans in 1942," M. Lozovsky, official Soviet spokesman, told journalists.

A further 850 Germans have been killed on a sector of the Kalinin front, where Soviet troops continue to advance against strong German opposition. One more inhabited place was taken, where the Germans had constructed a strong system of defence with pill-boxes and fortified earthworks.—(Reuter.)

GERMAN REPORT

BERLIN, Saturday.—Soviet troops succeeded in advancing at some points on the Northern sector of the front yesterday, states the German Radio, quoting the German High Command, but claims that German counter-attacks drove the Russians back. It also claims that Soviet attacks north-east of Kursk were repelled.—(Reuter.)

ACTIVITY IN LIBYA

AWAITING AXIS MOVE

Marshal Rommel's troops have been showing a little more activity lately, but, according to the official view in London, there is no reason to suppose that an immediate large-scale offensive is contemplated. The probability is that the Germans are seeking to secure a more forward line, and thus give greater depth to their defences.

Informed opinion in Cairo, says the Associated Press, interprets the Axis activity as an attempt to "establish strong points" in front of the Tmimi-Mekili track. At the nearest point the Axis forces still are about 15 miles from the British "Gazala Line."

Aerodromes in Crete, and military objectives at Benghazi and Martuba, in Libya, were attacked by bomber aircraft of the Middle East Command during Wednesday night, said yesterday's Royal Air Force Middle East communiqué. Fighter aircraft have maintained their offensive activities in the forward areas of Cyrenaica.

"Enemy air raids on Malta were continued on Thursday. During Wednesday night a Junkers 88 was destroyed. It is now established that, in addition to the eight aircraft already destroyed on Wednesday, our fighters shot down a further Junkers 88, a Dornier 26 and a Messerschmitt 109. On the afternoon of that day anti-aircraft artillery destroyed another Junkers 88. One of our aircraft is missing from operations, but the pilot is safe."—(Press Association.)

W.A.A.M.A.—A TRADE UNION

In a few weeks' time, when the register of trade unions under the Trade Union Act of 1941 is completed, it is likely that the Writers', Actors', Artists' and Musicians' Association will be one of the registered bodies.

W.A.A.M.A., now nearly twelve months' old, born in the pages of a newspaper, the target for sneers and jibes at the time of its birth, can be registered under the Act by declaration of the Minister for Industry and Commerce, without having to lodge the appropriate sum in the High Court as guarantee.

In its first ten months it has attracted over 500 members, and has encouraged employers to improve relationship with workers; investigated allegations of exploitation, and negotiated for improved conditions and remuneration, and by its influence has obtained, among other valuable concessions, an undertaking that the places of Irish artists in the Irish theatre will be preserved against an infiltration of performers from abroad.

WASHINGTON, Friday.—President Roosevelt told his Press Conference that he had received reports of progress from General Marshall and Mr. Harry Hopkins in London.—(Reuter.)

AIRCRAFT-CARRIER HERMES SUNK

ATTACK BY JAPANESE 'PLANES OFF CEYLON

A BRITISH Admiralty communiqué yesterday stated that the aircraft-carrier H.M.S. Hermes (Captain R. F. J. Onslow, M.V.O., D.S.C., R.N.) has been sunk by Japanese air attack off the coast of Ceylon.

"No further details are known," the communiqué adds, "but it is probable that a large proportion of the ship's company have reached land, as she was only about ten miles off shore when she was sunk. The next-of-kin will be informed as soon as possible.

"The Japanese claim to have sunk cruisers off Trincomalee is known to be quite untrue."

Hermes, completed in 1924, was the first vessel specially designed by the Admiralty as an aircraft-carrier. According to "Jane's Fighting Ships," she could carry twenty aircraft, although her official complement was fifteen. Her officers and crew numbered 664.

Britain has now lost the aircraft-carriers Courageous, Glorious, Ark Royal and Hermes.

It is not known whether the Hermes had air cover by shore-based fighters when she was sunk on the east of Ceylon, about 70 miles south of Trincomalee, writes the Press Association Naval Correspondent. "I learn from authoritative circles in London that it may well be that Allied fighter forces were at that time heavily engaged in repelling the attack on the naval base. In view of the time that the Hermes was attacked—at about 11 o'clock, local time, on Thursday—it is possible that some of the Japanese 'planes detailed to attack Trincomalee were diverted to the carrier."

JAPANESE CLAIMS

A Japanese communiqué says:—"Japanese units operating in the Indian Ocean sank the 10,850-ton British aircraft-carrier Hermes, a 9,100-ton cruiser of the Birmingham Class, and a 7,500-ton cruiser of the Emerald Class, as well as having damaged a 7,270-ton cruiser of the Leander Class, in the course of operations off Trincomalee, Ceylon.

"One destroyer, one patrol vessel and six other ships were also destroyed, while 46 enemy aircraft were shot down and six others set ablaze on the ground. Heavy damage was also inflicted on military establishments.

"No damage was sustained by the Japanese forces, but ten Japanese aircraft were lost."

CRUISER LOSSES

The cruisers Dorsetshire and Cornwall, lost on the day that Colombo was raided (April 5), were both very heavily attacked by particularly large forces of dive-bombers. So far as is known there were no torpedo attacks on the cruisers or the Hermes. Loss of the cruisers is obviously a severe blow. There has been a shortage of cruisers in the Navy for years, and the need for this type of vessel was never greater.

It seems that the Japanese failed in their "Pearl Harbour" bid at Ceylon.

Air losses at Trincomalee and Colombo—75 'planes probably destroyed and damaged—was very heavy, and it is believed that these figures are on the conservative side. As the Japanese 'planes were seaborne, their carriers will have to return to base for new supplies of aircraft. The Japanese have one 28,000 tons aircraft-carrier, said to accommodate 60 machines, and seven other carriers.

TWO ITALIAN SHIPS SUNK

A British Admiralty communiqué states:—"An enemy convoy, escorted by destroyers, has been successfully attacked in the Mediterranean by a submarine under the command of Lieutenant-Commander P. S. Francis, R.N. Two hits with torpedoes were secured, and one large supply ship was sunk. In another attack the same submarine torpedoed and sank an enemy supply ship of medium size.

"Other submarines of the Mediterranean Fleet have sunk two schooners. One of these was bound for Tripoli with a cargo of sugar and other stores."

MALTA RAIDS

MALTA, Friday.—Raids on Malta continued to-day with another determined attack this morning, to-night's British communiqué states. One aircraft, believed to be a Ju. 88 crashed into the sea. There was damage to civilian property and some persons were killed and others injured.—(Reuter.)

The Lieutenant-Governor revealed that Malta's losses of houses have been at the rate of 800 monthly for some time past.

TULLAMORE BAKERS HELP N B B L

In Tullamore, where a large number of entire families have joined N B B L, two local bakeries are now supporting the bread economy drive, and are using a 20 per cent. admixture of potatoes in their flour. Consumers report that this has not only greatly improved the flavour of the loaf, but that its keeping qualities are greater.

Bakers say that the method is easy to operate, and a larger percentage of potatoes in the dough is contemplated. With the families and individuals who have become League members, bread has been entirely left out of the evening meal, and various potato and vegetable recipes are satisfactorily taking its place.

RECIPE A DAY.

Potato Scones.—Ingredients: ½ lb. mashed potatoes; 2 ozs. butter; 4 ozs. flour; ½ teaspoon salt; ½ teaspoon baking powder. Sift flour, salt, and B.P. Beat butter into mashed potatoes, and add flour mixture. Roll thinly on floured board. Cut into rounds. Prick with fork. Bake 4 minutes on each side on hot griddle, or cook 10 minutes in hot oven. Serve hot and well buttered.

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CORREGIDOR NOW UNDER FIRE

JAPANESE ARTILLERY AND AIR ASSAULTS

FIGHTING in the Bataan Peninsula is at an end, and the Japanese have already directed violent air and artillery assaults against the Corregidor Island fortress, which General Wainwright is holding with an unknown number of American and Filipino troops.

Japanese bombers raided the island on Thursday, and the forts withstood heavy bombardments from Japanese batteries in Bataan and on the Cavite shore, at the south of Manila Bay. The defenders' guns refrained from answering the onslaught for fear of killing any of their comrades still on the peninsula.

A flare-up—after a week's lull—in the fighting on the Toungoo front, in Burma, is announced in a Chinese communiqué. A Japanese unit, it says, yesterday morning renewed the attack on the Chinese precautionary line, to the north of the town. The Japanese were engaged, and fighting was still in progress after dark.

THE MISSING U.S. TROOPS

The Allied Commander-in-Chief in the Philippines has reported to Washington that all contact with the mainland ceased twenty-four hours earlier, and there is no fresh news of the fate of the 37,000 troops, the bulk of whom were feared on Thursday to have been either killed or captured. In a message to President Roosevelt he says he did everything possible, but "the overwhelming superiority of the Japanese forces finally overcame the dogged resistance of the hungry, exhausted defenders." Tokyo reports say that Japanese vanguards are in pursuit of Allied troops moving southwards to the tip of the Bataan Peninsula, where "small transports are being hastily assembled at Los Cochinos Point in an effort to take them across to Corregidor."

While the Stars and Stripes still fly over Corregidor, American torpedo boats attacked a fleet of five warships and ten transports, comprising, apparently, an invasion fleet for landing troops on the island of Cebu, in the middle of the group clustered between Luzon and Mindanao. One Japanese cruiser was sunk.—(P.A. and Reuter.)

According to an Associated Press message from Washington, the United States Navy announced that most of an estimated 35,000 marines and bluejackets in the original American forces in Bataan are presumed to have been evacuated to Corregidor.

A Reuter message from San Francisco stated that radio communication between the Philippines Island of Cebu and the United States has been cut off since 8.30 a.m. local time (5.50 B.D.S.T.), according to an announcement by the Radio Corporation of America.

GENERAL'S TRIBUTE TO TROOPS

In a tribute to the United States fighters at Bataan, General MacArthur said in Melbourne yesterday:—

"The Bataan force went out as it would have wished—fighting to the end of its flickering forlorn hope. No army has ever done so much with so little, and nothing became it more than its last hour of trial and agony.

"To the weeping mothers of its dead I can only say that the sacrifice and halo of Jesus of Nazareth have descended upon their sons, and God will take them unto Himself."

U.S. COMMANDER TAKEN

Quoting Japanese reports Berlin radio said that among the troops captured by the Japanese in the Bataan Peninsula was the Commander of the 22nd U.S. Division.

Japanese troops were now advancing rapidly towards Mariveles, the announcer added.—(Associated Press.)

JAPANESE WARSHIP SUNK

An American submarine has sunk a large, heavily-armed Japanese vessel, possibly an auxiliary cruiser, in the vicinity of the Celebes Sea, says a Reuter telegram from Washington last night.

The commander of the Japanese troops which have occupied Limay and other points in the southern part of the Bataan Peninsula has been killed in action, says the German Radio, quoting a Tokyo report.—(Reuter.)

Tokyo Radio said last night that Japanese troops, moving south along the east coast of the Bataan Peninsula, had occupied the town of Cabcaben, the last settlement before the outpost of Mariveles, on Bataan's extreme tip. —(Associated Press.)

DANGER NEARER TO AUSTRALIA

The fall of Bataan must be considered grave news for Australia. The implication of the added potential threat of invasion to this country is inescapable, says Reuter's special correspondent lately in the Philippines, in a telegram from Sydney. The United States forces' heroic and almost unbelievable resistance in Bataan was, in point of fact, a delaying, or a pre-occupying, action on a large scale, immobilising, as it did, some 200,000 Japanese troops, who are now free for action elsewhere. Japan's move against India caused comment in certain quarters that, once committed to the Near East offensive—which gives every sign of being tied up with Hitler's spring offensive plans—plans for the attack on Australia have been shelved for the time being. The overwhelming of the United States forces at Bataan, however, completely alters the Antipodean picture.

ADVANCE ON TOUNGOO

The Japanese are sending three columns northward, with the object of enveloping the Chinese forces north of Toungoo, says a communiqué issued in Chungking yesterday. Another flying column is being sent across the Sittang river to outflank the troops at Yedashe, on the Toungoo-Mandalay road. The Chinese, however have repulsed a Japanese flanking column. Fighting continues on the central front.

No appreciable headway has been made by the Japanese in sporadic fighting along the north bank of the River Yangtse, in Southern Hupeh Province, the military spokesman in Chungking stated. Fighting began when the Japanese sent six columns to attack Chinese positions in foothills north-west of Shasi. A battle is still going on along the highway between Yochow and Yanchsin, in Northern Hunan and Southern Hupeh, respectively.—(Reuter.)

MR. CHURCHILL MAY MAKE WAR STATEMENT

Mr. Churchill is expected to make a short statement on the general war situation as soon as Parliament meets after the Easter recess, says the Press Association Lobby Correspondent. He may deal briefly with the recent naval losses. There will, however, be no war debate until after the Budget discussion, which will occupy several days.

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Ring of Gold May Win 'Chase at Leopardstown

THERE will be no lack of variety about the racing at Leopardstown this afternoon, and intending visitors should note that the first race is timed to start at 3.30.

The Dundrum 'Chase, for which nine runners have been declared, may be won by the Galway Plate winner, Ring of Gold, who showed up well at the last meeting here after a long absence from the race-course.

The Leopardstown Handicap, another £200 event, will attract many of our best middle-distance horses. Ins An Mala and Sunny Star both have shown useful form recently, and the former may defy her penalty and win again. Selections:—

Sugar Loaf Plate—**Pharie Feat.**
Silverpark Steeplechase—**H.M.S. Sturgeon.**
Tower Hurdle—**Tom Mix.**
Dundrum Steeplechase—**Ring of Gold.**
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3.30 — SUGAR LOAF MAIDEN T.Y.O. PLATE, £100. 5 f.

	st. lb.
Knight of the Deep (Lt.-Col. MacCabe) ..... Ussher	9 0
Ryskid (T. Ward)	9 0
Pharie Feat (B. Nugent) ..... Owner	9 0
Nourrice (B.Kerr) ..... J. Davis	8 10
Fair W.A.A.F. (Miss P. Blackwell) Hartigan	8 10
Castle Maid (Mrs. H. T. O'Neill) H. T. O'Neill	8 10

Castle Maid. See Pharie Feat.

04 Pharie Feat. Carried 9-0 when fourth of 12 to Friction (8-5), Phoenix Park, April (5f.). Carried 8-10 when, with Castle Maid (8-6) unplaced to Blue Sleigh (8-10), Baldoyle, March (5f.).

4.0 — SILVERPARK STEEPLECHASE £100. 2 m. 175 yds. Age st. lb.

	st. lb.
Kellsboro' Lady (Lord Bicester) Fetherston a	11 7
Icy Torrent (J. Ismay) ..... Ussher a	11 7
Brighter Kilcash (C. Lawles) Owner a	11 7
Big Buff (Mrs. O'Keeffe) O'Sullivan	6 11 7
Royal Jack (Miss Paget) C. Rogers	5 11 3
Hakluyt (Major Donaldson) Private	5 11 3
Oakfield (M. Sheehan) ... Owner	5 11 3
Doremi (Col. Shell) ..... Arnott	5 11 3
H.M.S. Sturgeon (Mrs. Walker) Walker	5 11 3
Prince Blackthorn (Capt. H. de Burgh) ..... Arnott	5 10 7
O Kellsboro' Lady. Unplaced with 11-4 to Mayerling (11-11), Navan, Dec. (1¾m. hurdles).	
O Icy Torrent. See H.M.S. Sturgeon.	
OO Brighter Kilcash. See Royal Jack.	
OO Big Buff. Unplaced with 11-0 to Scottish Welcome (10-7), Baldoyle, March (2m. 1f. flat).	
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O Hakluyt. Unplaced with 11-9 to Corn Prince (11-11), Naas, March 28 (3m. 76 yds. 'chase).	
OO Oakfield. Unplaced with 10-11 to Multy Duck (11-7), Limerick, March (2m. 200 yds. 'chase).	
OO Doremi. See H.M.S. Sturgeon. Unplaced with 10-7 to Shannon Scheme (10-7), Navan, Feb. (1¾m. hurdles).	
02 H.M.S. Sturgeon. Carried 11-7 when beaten 5l. by Achillea (11-12), Leopardstown, March (2m. 175 yds. 'chase). Prince Blackthorn (10-9) was sixth of 11. Doremi (11-7) fell.	
10 Prince Blackthorn. See H.M.S. Sturgeon. Carried 10-9 when winning neck, ¾l. from Shadrock (10-9) and Knight of Clonea (11-4), Baldoyle, Feb. 2m. flat).	

4.30 — TOWER MAIDEN HURDLE RACE, £100. 1½ m. Age st. lb.

	st. lb.
Ajar (P. McCavana) ..... Mangan a	11 7
Mornington (C. McGrath) W. Byrne	5 11 4
Spratstown (J. Bradley) P. Prendergast	5 11 4
First Visit (J. Francis) D. Malone	5 11 4
Tolago (C. Odlum) ..... Arnott	5 11 4
Kingston Gorse (J. S. Davies) D. Rogers	5 11 4
Tom Mix (the late E. P. Barry) J. Parkinson	4 10 10
Summerville (Miss Paget) C. Rogers	4 10 10
Smoke Room (Mrs. O'Keeffe) O'Sullivan	5 10 9
To the Skies (J. Sutherland) T. Dreaper	6 10 9
Knight of the Morn (A. D. Turner) Owner	6 10 9
Rookaway (A. J. Cope) Kirwan	5 10 9

00 Ajar. Unplaced with 6-7 to Ballintoi (7-13). Naas, Nov. (2m. flat).

10 Spratstown. See Kingston Gorse. Carried 11-9 when winning 1¼l., ¾l., from Shannon Scheme (11-4) and Duke of Glenlara (11-9), Limerick, Dec. (2m. flat).

00 First Visit. See Tolago.

02 Tolago. Carried 11-5 when beaten 1l. by Hyskeir (10-7), Baldoyle, Feb. (1¼m. hurdles). Carried 10-12 when fifth of 25 to Monk's Mistake (10-7), Naas, Feb. (1¼m. hurdles). First Visit (11-3) was behind.

42 Kingston Gorse. Carried 11-4 when beaten 2½l. by Joint Stock (11-7), Leopardstown, March (1¼m. hurdles). Spratstown (11-4) was unplaced.

10 Mornington. Unplaced with 8-11 to Joint Stock (8-5), Junction, Oct. (2m. 3f. flat). Carried 11-5 when winning neck, 10l., from Soldado (11-0) and Baldonnell (11-0), Leopardstown, Sept. (2m. flat).

02 Tom Mix. Carried 10-5 when beaten ¾l. by Submarine (10-9), Phœnix Park, April (2m. hurdles).

00 Summerville. Unplaced with 10-7 to Mill Boy (11-5), Baldoyle, March (1¼m. hurdles).

00 Smoke Room. Unplaced with 10-7 to Magic Bubble (10-7), Baldoyle, March (1¼m. hurdles).

5.0 — DUNDRUM HANDICAP 'CHASE, £200. 3m. 300 yds. Age st. lb.

	st. lb.
Waving Star (P. Stokes) Osborne a	11 7
General Chiang (Miss Paget) C. Rogers a	11 2
Smerwick's Nephew (Mrs. Walker) Walker a	10 11
Ring of Gold (Col. Daly) Ussher a	10 8
Knight of Killala (Capt. Harty) Owner	6 10 7
Farragon (Lord Bicester) Fetherston	6 10 0
Capital Star (Miss Paget) C. Rogers a	9 12
Simple Song (T. Morrow) Sleator a	9 10
Miss Eileen (Jas. Rooney) P. Ward a	9 7

10 Waving Star. See Knight of Killala and Smerwick's Nephew. Carried 10-12 when winning 1¼l., same, from Pulcher (10-9) and St. Donavint (9-10), Baldoyle, Feb. (3m. chase).

40 General Chiang. See Knight of Killala and Simple Song.

20 Smerwick's Nephew. Unplaced with 10-10 to Prince Regent (12-7), Baldoyle, March (3m. 'chase). Carried 10-9 when beaten 20l. by Durbar (10-0), Leopardstown, Jan. (3m. 300yds. 'chase). Waving Star (10-13) was sixth of 19 and Knight of Killala behind.

00 Ring of Gold. Unplaced with 10-10 to Ballyboe (9-2), Leopardstown, March (2m. 175yds. 'chase).

00 Knight of Killala. Carried 9-11 when fifth of 10 to Prince Regent (12-7), Fairyhouse, Monday (3¼m. 'chase). General Chiang (10-8) was sixth and Waving Star (10-10) behind. See Simple Song and Smerwick's Nephew.

04 Farragon. Carried 11-12 when fourth of 11 to Achillea (11-12), Leopardstown, March (2m. 175yds. 'chase).

32 Capital Star. Carried 11-6 when beaten 6l. by Egmont II. (10-7), Mallow, March (2m. 'chase).

22 Simple Son. Carried 9-2 when beaten head by British Raid (9-7), Leopardstown, March (3m. 300 yds. 'chase). General Chiang (11-0) was fourth of 8 and Knight of Killala (10-5) behind.

5.30 — LEOPARDSTOWN HANDICAP, £200. 1 m. Age st. lb.

	st. lb.
Tiverton (H. S. Gill) D. Rogers	4 9 11
Castlefreke (M. C. O'Mahony) Private	4 9 11
Radiologist (Mrs. E. McGrath) Collins	6 9 3
Astrometer (D. P. O'Brien) Owner	4 8 13
Sunny Star (Mrs. G. Robinson) Robinson	6 8 8
Fairloo (B. Cooper) ... Private	5 8 7
Bearer Bond (Lord Talbot de Malahide) ..... Willan a	8 4
Ins an Mala (7lb. ex.) C. G. McKenna) ..... Owner	4 8 3
Rhoscolyn (J. S. Davies) D. Rogers	4 7 11
Sweet Peach (D. Malone)...Owner	5 7 10
So Lovely (Miss P. Murray) Hartigan	3 7 8
Ceylon (R. C. Dawson).....Ussher	3 7 8
Jenkinston (P. J. Leonard) Leonard, jun	5 7 7
Vecington Call (C. Willan) Owner	5 7 7
Irish Mite (S. Ward)... Owner	5 7 7
Path of Glory (B. Kerr) J. Davis	5 7 7

11 Tiverton. Carried 9-4 when winning 5l., 10l., from Philippian (8-12) and Glen of Aherlow 8-12), Curragh, Sept. (2¼m.). Carried 8-3 when winning 8l., 5l., from Philippian (8-11) and Khosro (8-7), Curragh, July (2m.).

01 Radiologist. Carried 9-11 when winning 1l., 2½l., from Dancing Years (7-13) and Foam Crest (7-10), Curragh Oct. (1m.).

10 Astrometer. Unplaced with 11-12 to Scottish Welcome (10-7), Baldoyle, March (2m 1f.). Carried 8-6 when winning 3l., 1½l., from Dunseverick (9-5) and Mark Twan (7-11), Naas, Nov. (1¼m.).

03 Sunny Star. See Ins an Mala and Rhoscolyn.

00 Bearer Bond. Unplaced with 8-7 to Ins an Mala (7-0), Baldoyle, March (7f.).

40 Rhoscolyn. Carried 7-11 when fifth of 11 to Cratloe Castle (8-11), Leopardstown, Oct. (1m.). Carried 7-5 when fourth of 21 to Mill Boy (7-9), Curragh, Oct. (1m.). Sunny Star (8-6) was behind.

00 Sweet Peach. Unplaced with 10-12 to Mouk's Mistake (10-7), Naas, Feb. (1¼m. hurdles).

31 Ins an Mala. Carried 7-11 when winning 1l., ¾l., from Columbia (7-7) and Sunny Star (8-6). Phœnix Park, April (5f.). See Bearer Bond.

20 So Lovely. Unplaced with 8-13 to Dodoma (8-13), Leopardstown, Nov. (7f.). Carried 8-7 when beaten 3l. by Queen's Egot (8-3), Phœnix Park, Oct. (5f.).

04 Jenkinston. Carried 10-0 when fourth of 8 to Greek Minstrel (10-9), Leopardstown March (2m. hurdles).

00 Vesington Call. Unplaced with 7-8 to Sonneteer (7-4), Baldoyle, March (1m. 1f. 80yds.).

00 Path of Glory. Unplaced with 7-7 to Ins an Mala (7-0), Baldoyle, March 7f.).

6.0 — CORINTHIAN PLATE, £100. 2 m. Age st. lb.

	st. lb.
Master Hamilton (Mrs. Hill-Dillon) .....Fetherston	5 11 12
Brighter Kilcash (C. Lawless) Owner a	11 12
Derryglougher (F. T. Lyons) Owner	5 11 12
Pucka Man (J. A. Mangan) Owner	6 11 12
Enticement (F. Myerscough) Walker	6 11 12
Capital Star (Miss D. Paget) C. Rogers a	11 12
Cover Note (Miss D. Paget) C. Rogers	6 11 12
Bay Falloch (A. D. Turner) Turner a	11 12
Neverover (C. Willan).....Owner	6 11 12

00 Brighter Kilcash. See Silverpark 'Chase.

0 Derryglougher. Carried 11-1 when, with Neverover (11-0) unplaced to Scottish Welcome (10-7), Baldoyle, March (2m. 1f.).

00 Pucka Man. Unplaced with 11-5 to Heirdom (11-5), Leopardstown, March (2m.).

32 Capital Star. See Dundrum 'Chase.

02 Cover Note. Carried 11-8 when beaten 8l. by Glengormley (11-3), Phœnix Park, April (1m. 2f. 50 yds.).

00 Bay Falloch Unplaced with 11-11 to Corn Prince (11-11) Naas, March (3m. 76 yds. 'chase).

0 Neverover. See Derryglougher.

START OF DUBLIN G.A.A. CHAMPIONSHIPS.

(BY PAT'O.)

No county in the South Leinster League has escaped defeat; surprise results brought victory to Wexford over Offaly at Tullamore, and to Carlow over Kildare at Athy. Tomorrow's points are precious, and winners will be well set for final honours. Wexford can win when least expected, and will have a big enthusiastic following at Enniscorthy with Laoighis as visitors. Carlow and Offaly are well matched. Dublin and Louth meet again at Drogheda for the Arus medals, and scores will run closer than they did at Croke Park.

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Carlow—Carlow v. Offaly, 3.30.
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Belfast—Antrim v. Down, 4.30.
Clones—Cavan v. Monaghan, 4.0.
Derrymacash—Derry v. Armagh, 4.30.
Dromore—Tyrone v. Fermanagh, 5.0.
Coolock—Civil Service v. Commercials (H.), 11.45; Sean McDermotts v. Sylvesters (F.), 3.0.
Parnell Park—St. Josephs v. Ard Craobh (F.), 12.0.
Blanchardstown—Army v. St. Margarets (F.), 3.0.

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LEINSTER SENIOR CUP—SEMI-FINALS.
Old Belvedere (holders) v. Blackrock College. Lansdowne road, 2.45.
Wanderers v. Dublin University. Lansdowne road, 4.15.

GOULDING CUP—SEMI-FINAL.
Irish Railways v. Associates. Park avenue, 4.0.

TO-MORROW—L.D.F. CUP—SEMI-FINAL
Rathmines and Terenure v. Donnybrook and Irishtown. Donnybrook, 3.0.

TEAMS

Leinster—G. Ledwidge (Corinthians); R. Stewart (Three Rock Rovers), W. Lindsay (Corinthians); J. D'Arcy (Pembroke Wanderers), J. R. Fleming (Dublin University), A. King (Corinthians); F. O'Kelly (Portrane), J. A. MacDonogh (Three Rock Rovers) (capt.), H. Raby (Pembroke Wanderers), W. Pilkington (Three Rock Rovers), J. V. Luce (Dublin University).

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TO-MORROW.
F.A.I. Cup (semi-final)—Drumcondra v. Cork United, Dalymount Park, 3.30.

TEAMS.
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HAROLD'S CROSS GREYHOUNDS

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GOLF CLUB NOTICES

Hermitage—To-morrow—Club foursomes, qualifying round.

Elm Park—To-day—Foursomes, strokes

Carrickmines—To-day — Carysfort Cup, qualifying round, strokes; 8 qualify. Ladies —Medal — Miss Wilson; runner-up, Miss Joly. Thursday next — Miss McComas's prize, flag; draw 2.30.

Rossiare—Fourball—W. F. Ffrench (1) and T. P. Walsh (4), 2 up. Mixed foursomes—D. Philpott (18) and Miss Maire Kelly (17), 76.

Clontarf—To-day—Robinson Cup, strokes (handicap 15 and over). To-morrow—Scotch foursomes, strokes.

Mullingar — To-morrow — Tottenham tankards, mixed foursomes, strokes; draw 3.0. Monday—General meeting in pavilion, 8.0.

Killarney — O'Sullivan Cup — F. C. Hilliard (12), 76 (winner); J. Mangan (14), 76. Lacabane Cup—II.—D. Mack (17), 76 (winner); J. P. Kinnane (19), 74. Stableford—J. Mangan (14) and M. O'Shea (18), 40. To-morrow—Maulagh Shield, strokes. (club); afternoon, mixed foursomes, strokes.

Foxrock—To-day—Medal, strokes. Entries close for Captain's prize at 6.0 on Tuesday. First round of President's prize to be completed by Sunday next.

Elm Park (Ladies)—Medal, I.—Miss W. Gargan qualified; Mrs. E. Nugent, II.—Mrs. M. Buckley qualified; Mrs. J. McConnell.

Rathfarnham—To-day, medal, bogey.

Woodbrook—To-day, medal, flag.

Royal Dublin.—To-day—Medals, bogey.

Kilkenny. — Ladies — To-day — Mrs. Beckett's prize; draw 3 o'clock.

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Co. Louth—Miss Lyons's prize—Miss McGee (16½), 33½; Miss McManus (13), 34. Cona Cup—Mrs. L. B. Jones.

Castle.—Ladies—Medal I.—Mrs. Carroll, 80; II.—Mrs. S. Prost, 84; III.—Mrs. Callan, 82. Monday—Mrs. O'Shaughnessy's prize; draws 10.15, 2.15, 2.45.

MILLTOWN CLUB

Draw for J. B. Moore Cup, first round to-day. Byes (top)—Lambert v. Curry, O'Higgins v. Long. First Round—Lemass v. Jordan, Cullen v. Nolan, O'Grady v. Reglar, Troddyn v. Chambers, Tunney v. Bex, Mulcahy v. Brindley, McGrane v. Kilduff, Mulcahy v. Murray, Menton v. Smith, Glynn v. Fanning, Mulcahy v. Myerscough, Sibley v. Roche Hawkins v. Keane, O'Connor v. Kennedy, Gogan v. Delaney, Roe v. Horgan, Gorevan v. Winston, Mayne v. Murphy, Cruise v. Dooley, Lynch v. Mulcahy, Tierney v. Meenan, Gorevan v. Cunningham, Ryan v. Martin, Linehan v. Creedon. Byes (bottom)—Bolger v. Stanley, Coghlan v. Kavanagh.

CYCLING

Loraine Club.—To-morrow cyclists start punctually at 10 a.m. from Foster place for Beau Parc and Kilmessan. Entries for confined time trial Summer League close with Mrs. E. C. Healy, 5 Claremont road, Sandymount.

City and Suburban.—Meet Middle Abbey street 11 a.m. to-morrow for Deputy's Pass, returning to Glen o' Downs for tea. Afternoon party meet at 3.30 for Glen o' Downs.

WARD UNION HOUNDS

From the Ashbourne meet on April 1st the Ward Hounds had a very moderate day. A stag found in Sutherland gave only a short hunt by Crickstown and Baltrasna before being taken at Primatestown.

On Saturday, 4th April, they met at Culmullen and found an outlier near Baltrasna fox covert. Going away by Woodtown, hounds hunted across the hill of the Mullagh to Jenkinstown and then bore right-handed for Larch Hill. They went on by Colestown and Mulhussey to Kilcloon, and by Barrockstown and Rodanstown, past the Dancing Tree to Dolanstown, where the stag was left an outlier. This brought to an end what must be reckoned a successful season.

HUNTING APPOINTMENT

South Co. Dublin Harriers, Black Church, 2 o'clock.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY

By defeating Shellmartin 3-1 last night at Serpentine avenue, Pembroke Wanderers won the Leinster Senior League. Mrs. Whelan (2) and Miss Coleman scored for Wanderers and Miss Barnwell for Shellmartin.

Cherrymount Lawn Tennis Club—Annual general meeting arranged for Friday, 17th April, has been postponed to Wednesday, 22nd April.

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STOCK MARKET REPORTS

DUBLIN EXCHANGE

Trading was on a more restricted scale on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and markets finished the week in subdued fashion. Interest was confined to Irish securities, and good support for certain specialities resulted in some firm features, notably Home Government Funds and Rails.

The Second National Loan rose to 114½, the Fourth Loan to 106, and 4 p.c. Conversion Loan improved to 109. 4½ p.c. Land Bonds tended higher, and other issues held steady. 3½ p.c. War Loan advanced to 105⅞.

Bank of Ireland Stock was a strong spot, and sparted 3½ points to 309. Hibernians closed pence better at 37/6, but Nationals declined to 38/3.

Guinness units and Cairnes Ord. both held unchanged. There was strong buying of Great Northern Rails 'A' Ord. gained 4 points at 16, while the Pref. and Gtd. also made headway. Great Southern Pref. moved up to 18, but the Gtd. and Deb. inclined to give way.

Dublin Transport Ord. were again 16/-, and the A Deb. jumped a point to 96. Irish Industrials showed little life, and the only movement of note was the fall of 3/- in Independent Pref. to 28/-.

Textiles inclined easier, with Coats Ord. 34/6 and Courtaulds 32/4½. Imperial Tobaccos fell 1/9 to 121/9, and Burmah Oils drooped to 28/9.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

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(Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS.—5 p.c. Second National Loan (114), 114¼; do. (under £200) (114), 114; 3½ p.c. Fourth Loan (105⅞), *106; 4 p.c. Conversion Loan (108⅞), 109; 3¾ p.c. Financial Agreement (109¼), 109¼; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (109½), *109½; 3¼ p.c. National Security (103⅛), 103½; do. Scrip (fully paid) (103), *103; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (115⅛), 115⅝; 3½ 4 p.c. Land Bonds (108¼), 108¼; do. (under £200) (108), 108; 3½ p.c. War Loan (105⅞), 106⅛; do. (under £200) (105¾), 105⅞. 6; 5 p.c. Conversion Loan, 103⅝.

BANKS.—Bank of Ireland (308½), *309; Hibernian (37/-), *38/-. 7/6; National (39/-), 38/3.

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.—Cairnes Ord. (15/9), 15/9; Guinness Ord. (84/6), 84/9. *4/6.

SHIPPING.—Grand Canal Ord. (52/6), 55/-. (b), 60/- (a).

TRANSPORT AND GAS.—Gt. Northern Ord. (15), 16; do. Pref. (34), 34½; 5s. do. Gtd (62), 52½; do. Deb. (71½), 72 (b), 75 (a); Gt. Southern Pref. (17¾), 18; do. Gtd. (39), 38½; do. Deb. (69¼), 69¾; Belfast and Co. Down Ord., 9; do. 5% p.c. Pref., 47; Can. Pacific 4 p.c. Pref. 68⅝; Dublin Transport Ord. (16/-), 16/-; do. Pref. (23/-). *23/9; do. A. Deb. (95), 96; Alliance Gas Ord. (19/102½), 19/9.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS.—Batchelor (Ireland) Ord. (7/9) 8/- (a); Carroll Pref. (25/3), 26/- (a); Dublin and Wicklow Manure Pref. (15/3), 15/3; Ever-Ready (Ireland) Ord. (7/-), 7/- (a); Goulding Ord. (20/-), 20/- (b); Hammond Lane Ord. (27/6) *27/6; Independent Pref. (31/-), 28/- 8/-; Irish Sugar Pref. (25/6), 25/6; Irish Tanners Ord. (9/6), 9/6.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS.—Burmah Oil Ord. (21/-), 28/9; Coats (A. and P.) Ord (35/-), 34/6; Courtaulds Ord. (32/6), 32/4½; Imperial Tobacco Ord., (123/6), 121/9

IRISH BANKS' RATE (changed October 25, 1939) 3 p.c.; Loans on Government Stocks transferred, 3½ p.c.; Deposits, 1 p.c. The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

COMPANY NEWS

Hibernian Fire and General Insurance.—Report for year 1941 states that the reserve for unexpired risks and outstanding claims at the beginning of the year was £127,021 (£120,926), the revenue for the year came to £160,867 (£156,470), making a total of £287,888 (£277,396). Claims paid and outstanding fire claims £71,888 (£85,981), expenses including loss on sale of investments and provision for income tax and C.P.T. amounted to £69,328 (£63,981), agents bad debts £445 (£68), reserves for unexpired risks £76,990 (£74,556), estimated liability in respect of outstanding claims in connection with employers' liability and general accident insurance came to £59,053 (£52,484), making a total of £277,706 (£275,053), and showing a net profit for the year of £10,182 (£2,343). The balance to credit in the profit and loss account, after transferring £2,000 to general reserve and £4,000 to reserve for depreciation of property, is £15,579, out of which the directors recommend a dividend to be paid at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, less tax (same), which will absorb £2,550, leaving £13,029 to be carried forward. Meeting company's offices, April 17, at 12 noon. (Figures for 1940 in parentheses.)

Irish National Insurance Co.—Report for year ended September 30, 1941, states that the total income from all sources amounted to £157,146 (against £167,012). Premium income was £153,901 (against £162,964). During the year there was a falling-off in motor income of approximately £26,000, against which there was an increase in premium income in fire, engineering, general accident and workmen's compensation of practically £17,000. Full provision has been made for all outstanding claims and liabilities, and the insurance funds represent over 40 per cent. of the premium income. Claims paid and outstanding accounted for £83,863—a decrease of £27,892 compared with the previous year. Commission and expenses of management accounted for £69,586. In accordance with the Court orders the original share capital of £45,692 was written down to £22,846. £10,000, part of the consideration for the goodwill in the fire and accident business taken over last year, was issued in fully-paid shares and additional new capital to the amount of £50,000 was introduced in cash. The entire costs of the capital reconstruction and of the introduction of the additional capital have been written off to management expenses, and no part of these costs has been capitalised. Income represented by interest, dividends and rents, less tax, amounted to £2,676, together with sundry receipts of £32, the transfer from the general account of £1,907, and a profit on realisation of investments of £461 enables the company to reduce the debit balance brought forward of £4,770 to £2,285 after providing for a transfer of £92 to investment reserve fund and £2,500 to general reserve fund.

Crowe Wilson and Co.—8 p.c. and a bonus of 2 p.c. (together 1/4 per share) on Ord. shares for year ended 31st January, 1942 (same); £4,000 to reserve; £8,350 forward; profit £14,483 (£13,224).

A. Reyrolle.—Net profit £160,340, compared with £169,471. Ord. div. of 12½ p.c.

Hutchinson and Co. (Publishers).—Profit £29,472 (loss £29,862 last year), forward £30,737 (against £1,265).

Lancashire Shipping.—Profits down from £151,108 to £106,288. Final dividend of 4 p.c., making 6 p.c. (Same.)

Ross Deep.—Working profit rose by £1,784 to £333,560. The year's dividends were maintained at 20 p.c. Balance unappropriated of £236,466 (against £208,609).

Slough Estates.—Profits £185,081, increase of £1,699). Final dividend 10 p.c. (against final dividend of 5 p.c. and a bonus of 5 p.c.)

OTHER EXCHANGES

MANCHESTER — Bleachers 4/3-4/6, Dyers 7/-7/6, "Slubbers" 4/-4/3, Calicoes 5/9-6/-, Coats 35/

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

Announcements in this Column (which in all cases must be authenticated) are charged at the rate of 1/- per line (minimum 3/-).

BIRTHS.

BALL—April 8, 1942, at Mellifont Nursing Home, to Daphne (née Garvey), wife of Henry Ball, 26 Sandycove avenue, West, Sandycove, Co. Dublin, a son.

BARDEN—March 13, 1942, at a Nursing Home, to Ethel (née O'Rourke), wife of Brian J. Barden, a daughter (only survived birth a short while).

BEAMISH—April 4, 1942, at the Rotunda Hospital, to Muriel (née Keely), wife of Henry P. Beamish, 37 Clarinda Park, East, Dun Laoghaire, a son.

GALLAGHER—April 5, 1942, to Patricia, wife of Gerald C. Gallagher, 17 Ailesbury Park, Ballsbridge, a daughter.

GUINAN—March 31, 1942, at Geraldville, North Circular road, Limerick, to Augusta Mary (Poppie), wife of John Joseph Guinan, a daughter.

LAVERY—April 6, 1942, at 15 Lower Hatch street, Dublin, to Kathleen, wife of Doctor Kevin Lavery, Roden place, Dundalk, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

AGNEW and MAYNARD—April 4, 1942, at Christ Church, Kingstown, by Rev. A. W. Camier, Ernest, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Agnew, Derriaghy, Belfast, and Margaret Julia (Peggy), younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Maynard, Corrig Park, Kingstown.

JENKINSON and HAMILTON—February 17, 1942, at St. Brigid's Church, Manor Kilbride, by Rev. J. R. Crooks, B.A., Thomas, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Jenkinson, Ballywilliamroe, Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow, to Dorothy, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamilton, Tinode, Co. Dublin.

O'HIGGINS and BALBAS GARCIA—February 13, 1942, at Gibraltar, by Right Rev. Bishop Fitzgerald, Peter O'Higgins; Captain, R.A.M.C., to Isabel Balbas Garcia, San Sebastian, Spain.

PALFREY and GORMAN—March 24, 1942, Glasgow, by Rev. William Milne, Doctor Charles Palfrey, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Palfrey, Clackmannanshire, and Eva Wood, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Gorman, Glasgow.

TUCKER and DANIELS—March 14, 1942, at Fermoy Parish Church, by the Rev. W. E. White, William Arthur Tucker, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Tucker, Bandon, to Margaret Isabel Daniels, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Daniels, East Grange, Fermoy.

DEATHS.

BUTLER—April 8, 1942, Arthur Frederic Butler, late of 20 Oakley road, Ranelagh. Interred Mount Jerome.

CROZIER—April 8, 1942, James F. W. Crozier, of "Hastings," 26 St. Lawrence road, Clontarf. Interment took place yesterday at Mount Jerome.

CULHANE—April 10, 1942, at a Private Nursing Home, Dun Laoghaire, Joseph M. Culhane, Captain, late R.A.V.C. (S.R.). Remains removed from St. Michael's Church, Dun Laoghaire, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Sunday) morning, April 12, for interment at Cemetery, Navan. Funeral private.

DUNNE—April 10, 1942, at his residence, 2 Sloane Villas, Glenard avenue, Bray, John, dearly-beloved husband of Mary K. Dunne, father of the Rev. Hugh Dunne and the Rev. John Dunne. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to-morrow (Sunday) at 3.30 to the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer. Funeral, after 10 o'clock Mass, on Monday morning to Dean's Grange.

McCLINTOCK—April 4, 1942, at Effingham, Surrey, suddenly, Amy, widow of the late Lieutenant-Colonel J. K. McClintock, D.L., C.B., and eldest daughter of the late John Stuart Eccles, D.L., of Ecclesville, Co. Tyrone.

McDERMOT—April 9, 1942, at Infirmary House, Carrick-on-Shannon, Catherine, dearly-beloved wife of Dr. McDermot. Remains were removed to St. Mary's Church yesterday (Friday) at 6 p.m. Office and High Mass this (Saturday) morning at 11 o'clock. Funeral to St. Mary's Cemetery at 3 o'clock. English papers please copy.

O'REILLY—April 9, 1942, at his residence, Blanchardstown, Patrick O'Reilly, Victualler. Deeply and deservedly regretted by his loving wife, family, brother, sisters, relatives, and a large circle of friends. R.I.P. Remains were removed to St. Brigid's, Blanchardstown, at 8.30 yesterday (Friday) evening. Requiem Mass at 10 o'clock this (Saturday) morning. Funeral to Mulhuddart at 4 o'clock to-day (Saturday).

O'RIORDAN—April 10, 1942, Kathleen (née Hawes), beloved wife of John O'Riordan, 13 Westland Row. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

OSWALD—April 6, 1942, at Aldershot, in an accident, while on duty, Cadet Noël Alexander Oswald, Royal Engineers, aged 23 years, dearly-loved third son of Rev. H. E. D. Oswald and Mrs. Oswald, Rathcore Rectory, Enfield, Co. Meath. Please, no letters.

RUSSELL—April 10, 1942, James Russell, Merchant, Cappoquin. Funeral leaving Cappoquin to Lismore, 3 o'clock, to-morrow (Sunday), 12th April. "Peace, perfect peace."

SCOTT—April 6, 1942, Squadron Leader Benjamin Thomas, R.A.F. (Middle East), second son of the late William Stawell Scott, C.E., and Mrs. Scott, Gortagianna, Kilbrittain, Co. Cork.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 4.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

O'BEIRNE—Mrs. O'Beirne and family, Colamber, Streete, Co. Westmeath, desire to thank very sincerely all who sent Mass cards, wreaths, attended funeral, sent telegrams, and letters of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement, trusting that this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment, as it would be impossible to reply individually. English papers please copy.

IN MEMORIAM.

BOWE—Seventeenth Anniversary—In ever-loving memory of my dear husband, James Bowe, who died on 12th April, 1925 (Easter Sunday). Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Masses offered. Inserted by his sorrowing wife.

GAWLEY—In ever-loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Kate Gawley, Bay View, Enniscrone, Co. Sligo, who was called Home on 12th April, 1934.

McCORMACK (Ardnacassa, Longford)—In loving memory of little Vera, called Home 11th April, 1941.

Away on the beautiful hills of God,
In the valley of peace so far,
Some day, some time, when our task is done,
We shall meet our loved one there.

WILLIAMS—In loving memory of our dear father, Samuel Williams, ex-D.M.P., late of Dalkey, who died 11th April, 1941.

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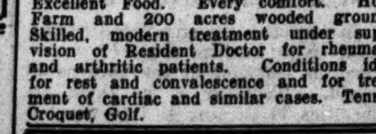

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NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands against the Estate of above Deceased, who died on the 8th day of July, 1940, are hereby requested on or before the 13th day of May, 1942, to furnish particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administratrix, to whom Letters of Administration with the Will annexed were granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Eire, on the 28th day of January, 1941.

AND NOTICE is hereby further given that after the said 13th day of May, 1942, the Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which particulars shall have been furnished as above required.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1942.
GEO. D. FOTTRELL & SONS, 46 Fleet street, Dublin, Solicitors for the Administratrix.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS. IN THE GOODS OF WILLIAM McDOWEL AIKIN WRIGHT, LATE OF ULVERTON, DALKEY, CO. DUBLIN.

TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., Chapter 35, all persons having any claims against the Estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 30th December, 1940, are hereby required on or before the 16th May, 1942, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for Colonel Thomas James Wright and Harry Rhys Maunsell, the Executors of the Will and two Codicils of the Deceased, Probate of which was granted to them forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Eire, on the 17th June, 1941, and in default thereof the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1942.
T. T. MECREDY and SON, Solicitors, 91 Merrion Square, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
ELLEN ANNIE MacCREANOR, otherwise Ellen Anne MacCreanor, late of 27/28 Mountjoy Square, in the City of Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors or otherwise having any claim against the Estate of the above-named deceased, who died on the 7th day of January, 1941, are hereby required on or before the 14th day of May, 1942, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executrices, to whom Probate of the Will and two Codicils of the said deceased was granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry, High Court of Justice, Eire, on the 13th day of November, 1941, and further take Notice that after the said 14th day of May, 1942, the said Executrices will distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 9th day of April, 1942.
HENRY B. FOTTRELL, Solicitor for Executrices, 11 Anglesea Street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
NORA AGNES ROCHE, late of Abbotsford Hotel, Harcourt street, Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the Estate or assets of the said Nora Agnes Roche, who died on or about the 29th day of July, 1941, are required, on or before the 16th day of May, 1942, to furnish (in writing) particulars of all such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors, to whom Probate was granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry on the 26th day of March, 1942, and in default thereof the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1942.
HUGH J. FITZPATRICK, Solicitor for the Executors, 15/16 Dame street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
MARGARET ANN BUTLER, late of 35 Upper Baggot street, Dublin, Widow, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of the above-named deceased are required to furnish written particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor on or before 20th May, 1942, after which date the assets will be distributed, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall then have been received.

Dated 10th April, 1942.
A. O'HAGAN and SON, Solicitors, 9 Harcourt street, Dublin.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
ESTATE OF
JOSEPHINE C. M. T. O'FLANAGAN, late of 37 Eden road, Upper, Sandycove, Dublin, Widow, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of the above-named, who died on the 3rd April, 1942, should furnish particulars thereof (in writing) to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1942.
GUINAN and SHEEHAN, Solicitors for Executor, 39 Westmoreland Street, Dublin.

ROBINSON.—Bank of Ireland, Plaintiffs, v. Alfred J. Robinson, formerly of Terminus Villa, Tramore, Co. Waterford, Fruit Merchant, Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Defendant in this Action that by Order of the High Court of Justice in Eire, made the 27th March, 1942, Arthur Crosbie, Agent for the Plaintiffs at Waterford, has been appointed Receiver by way of equitable execution over money standing to credit of the Defendant in the books of the Plaintiffs at their Branch Bank at Waterford.

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BATAAN—AND AFTER

NEXT LIKELY MOVE BY JAPAN

By Our Military Correspondent.

AT long last the Japanese have extracted the very serious thorn in the side constituted by the Philippines' resistance. For, even if it should prove possible to defend Corregidor a while longer, no Japanese forces of importance can be contained in the process. This is the real significance of the end of the Bataan defence. The attackers have been placed at as high a figure as 200,000 men—the great majority of whom will now be set free for other tasks. Moreover, these particular divisions are much more readily available than troops from Japan, or withdrawn from China. The value of their latest victory to the Japanese must be rated as considerable.

The contrast between the remarkable stand on the Bataan Peninsula, and the rapid fall of Hong Kong and Singapore, has been so remarkable that it calls for explanation. In the first place there was no vast civil population in rear of the defences. Such is always a great weakness—unless, indeed, it participates in the work of defence actively, as at Leningrad. Apart from this, the Hong Kong garrison was too weak numerically to be capable of a very protracted stand over the extent of frontage involved. As for Singapore, the bungling there at all stages appears to have been so gross that no useful comparison would seem possible to be instituted. The fact is that the Bataan defence-scheme was prepared five years before its eventual testing-time—and by the man destined subsequently to operate it.

JAPAN'S NEXT MOVE

It may be no harm to emphasise this defence as another proof that *blitzkreig* has its limitations—and the defensive generally its uses, when properly applied. Relatively small forces can hold out against very powerful attack. Bataan, in this, drives home the lessons of Tobruk, Halfaya, etc.—not to mention all the instances on the Russian front, by both combatants. The offensive has no monopoly of success in this war than it enjoyed in any other. Only one must know when to defend as well as when to attack.

The important question now, naturally, is how will Japan seek to exploit her success? In other words, will she turn to India or to Australia? The odds appear to favour the former alternative. Coincident in time with the Bataan victory, the Japanese have been scoring fresh naval successes in the Indian Ocean. Two more heavy cruisers have been lost by the British—and numerous merchantmen besides. Indeed, the only course for merchantmen in the Bay of Bengal is to pull them back to where they can be of some use. Incidentally, the counter-sinking of an Italian cruiser of similar force could serve as a reminder that it would pay to clear the Mediterranean—now more than ever.

DANGER TO CHINA

The now-visible end in the Philippines draws attention to the increasing danger to China of isolation. The "Assam Road" as yet is little more than a project; the alternative scheme of air-supply will not be very easy to organise either. For these reasons it seems likely that it is the fighting in Burma that will profit by reinforcements from Luzon. China, of course, was the only base from which Japan could be immediately menaced in her home territories—even in a moderate fashion. By the way, there have been rumours of Japanese troop movements into Northern Manchukuo—just in case!

Minor attacks and landings have also been reported from the island groups around the eastern end of New Guinea. This, perforce, must remain a very sensitive region for the Japanese. Their aim is said to be: "To establish a chain of warning stations" along this sector—to the east and south of which the Anzac-American sphere of strategic influence extends in a manner largely undisputed up to the present. Nor is Japanese aero-naval intervention likely to enter the Tasman Sea in the same fashion as it has entered the Bay of Bengal: there is a limit to the possibilities of divergence of effort. And, besides, the magnificent Kyauk-Pyu anchorage—75 miles south-east of Akyab, and some 400 odd by sea from Rangoon—is ideally situated for any offensive movement against the north-eastern Indian coasts. It is very easily defended, and we may be quite sure the Japanese Naval Staff realises its possibilities to the full.

SHORTAGES MAY LEAD TO UNEMPLOYMENT

Possible unemployment among insurance staffs owing to the loss of motor income, due to the petrol shortage and the possible shortage of tyres, was referred to at yesterday's annual meeting of the Irish National Insurance Company, Ltd., in Dublin. The company's accounts showed a drop in its motor income amounting to a total of £25,939.

"I may make a plea to the Minister for Supplies," said the Chairman, Mr. M. W. O'Reilly, in his address, "that, when determining his policy regarding the distribution of petrol supplies, he will bear in mind the considerable amount of employment which we, insurance companies, afford as a consequence of our motor business, and that he will endeavour to minimise the hardships that would otherwise fall upon our staffs."

Later during the meeting, Mr. M. W. O'Reilly asked the Irish people to remember that charity began in the home, and that they should, in all matters of insurance, consider their own people first. "The employment of our people is being jeopardised through the loss of motor insurance," he repeated. There was in the country enough potential insurance premiums to enable them to carry their staffs in full employment through the present emergency, even with the loss of their motor income, if the people supported them.

"Unless we get support in other classes of business, it will be impossible to maintain existing staffs," said Mr. J. E. Fitzgerald, general manager and secretary, in reference to the fall in the motor income.

DANCES

Newbridge College Union.—A successful dance was held in the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, last night, in connection with the Newbridge College Union, in aid of the Union Benevolent Fund. Spot prizes and souvenir programmes were presented.

The Committee were:—Messrs. O. Palin (Chairman), S. O'Neill (Hon. Secretary), F. J. Dunne (Treasurer), H. Fagan, K. Murphy, G. Murphy, P. Moran, P. Moore, P. Dunne, L. Brophy, B. Skehan, P. Meehan, M. A. Kelly (Wicklow P.P.U.), M. Donovan (Muckross P.P.U.), Miss T. Ryan (Cabra P.P.U.), Miss Bridgeman (Eccles P.P.U.), N. O'Nolan (Sion Hill P.P.U.), M. and B. Dunne, M. and B. O'Neill, S. and F. Devlin, E. Hawe, M. Drumgoole and M. Ennis.

Among those present were:—Mr. D. B. Brennan (President, Newbridge Union), Mr. P. P. Wilkinson, Dr. J. J. Cosgrave, Dr. and Mrs. L. Keenan, Captain Art Cullen, Miss N. McGovern, Miss M. Ennis, Miss F. Langan, Mr. E. C. Carry (Hon. Sec., King's Hospital O.B.U.), Miss A. O'Neill, Miss A. Kelly (Secretary, Dominican Convent, Wicklow, Union), Miss M. Donovan (Secretary, Muckross Convent Union).

Metropole Staff.—The annual staff dance of the Metropole and Allied Cinemas, Ltd., was held last night in the Metropole Ballroom, Dublin. Numerous spot prizes and novelties were distributed. Among those who attended were:—The Lord Mayor and Mrs. Doyle, Alderman A. Byrne, T.D.; Mr. George Nesbitt (chairman of the company) and Mrs. Nesbitt, Mr. P. I. Wall (managing director), Mr. Peter Corrigan (director), Mr. J. Crowley (secretary), Mr. F. Dowling (manager, cinema). Savoy Cinemas:—Mr. G. Ellis (secretary) and Mrs. Ellis, Mr. C. Conroy (manager) and Mrs. Conroy, Mr. and Mrs. Margey, Mr. and Mrs. Lyons, Mr. A. Ellingap (general manager), Mr. Max Elliman (manager, Theatre Royal), Mr. L. Elliman (manager, Gaiety), Mr. P. R. Gogan (manager, Queen's), Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Brennan (restaurant manager). Staffs from the following houses were also present:—Corinthian, Queen's, Theatre de Luxe, Savoy, Royal. The committee were:—Mr. Joseph Gilligan (hon. secretary), Mr. Peter Wyse, Mr. J. O'Toole, Mr. Steve Dwyer and Mr. Crowley.

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MODERN Bed Sittingrooms, modern furnishings; full, partial board; moderate; restaurant.—15 Lower Mount street, Merrion square. 'Phone 65386. 9 A

MONKSTOWN—29 Belgrave square; Two Luxury Flats to Let, reasonable. Apply Swift Service Agency, Dun Laoghaire. 'Phone 81041.

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SUPERIOR Flat (Unfurnished), fully self-contained, modern conveniences.—3 Kenilworth road, Rathgar. 9 F

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LOHUNDA Park, Clonsilla, Co. Dublin—To Let on Lease, Gentleman's Residence, enclosed yards (25 loose boxes, etc.), gate lodge, kitchen garden, etc. Full particulars on request to Goff's Auctioneers, 61 Lower Mount street, Dublin.

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PORTADOWN—Well Furnished House to Let for 5 months from 1st May; central position; 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), etc.; gas, electric.—W. Boyd Johnston and Co., M.I.A.A., Auctioneers, etc., Thomas street, Portadown.

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE
MATINEE TO-DAY, 2.30.
THE GONDOLIERS.
TO-NIGHT AT 7.30,
IOLANTHE.
NEXT WEEK
DUBLIN GRAND OPERA SOCIETY.
Monday—Bi-Centenary Performance:
THE MESSIAH (Handel).
Tuesday—LA TOSCA. Wednesday—IL TROVATORE. Thursday—SAMSON AND DELILAH. Friday — MARRIAGE OF FIGARO. Sat. Mat.—LA TOSCA. Sat. Night — CAVALLERIA RUSTICANA; PAGLIACCI.
Now Booking, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

OLYMPIA THEATRE.
NIGHTLY AT 7.30.
ENORMOUS SUCCESS—RETAINED 4th WEEK.
SHELAH RICHARDS and MICHAEL WALSH
Present
THE STRINGS ARE FALSE,
By PAUL VINCENT CARROLL.
Booking Daily, 10.30-6 and 7.30-9.30.
"A play of power and quality."
—"Irish Times."

ABBEY THEATRE
AT 8 P.M.
Last Night of
"BOYD'S SHOP,"
By St. John Ervine.
Next week—First Production of
"THE FORT FIELD,"
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Box Office 10.30 to 6. 'Phone 44505.

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To-day, at 2.30 and 8 p.m. (Exactly).
"THE UNITED BROTHERS,"
By Christine Longford.

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"AWAKE AND SING,"
By CLIFFORD ODETS.
MONDAY NEXT, at 8 p.m. sharp.

METROPOLE To-day, at 2.0 4.10, 6.20, 8.30
TYRONE POWER, LINDA DARNELL, RITA HAYWORTH, in
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METROPOLE BALLROOM.
AFTERNOON TEA DANCE.
(Including Tea) 2/6
EVERY SATURDAY, 4 to 6 o'c.
METROPOLE FAMOUS BAND.

GRAFTON Now on 2nd week, 2.0, 4.15, 6.30, 8.45.
DEANNA DURBIN—MELVYN DOUGLAS
In
"THAT CERTAIN AGE."

THEATRE DE LUXE
TO-MORROW (SUN.) at 3.30 and 8 p.m.
Sidney Toler and Victor Jory,
"CHARLIE CHAN IN RIO."
Also "RIDERS OF THE PURPLE SAGE."

ASTORIA DUN LAOGHAIRE. At 3.0, 6.5, 8.55.
Martha Scott, William Gargan in
"CHEERS FOR MISS BISHOP."
Also Alan Baxter, Mary Carlisle in
"RAGS TO RICHES."
SUNDAY:
Richard Arlen, Andy Devine in
"DANGEROUS GAME."
Also Doug. Fairbanks, Jun., in
"SAFARI."

CORINTHIAN.
TO-MORROW, 3.30 and 8.0. Book Now.
KANE RICHMOND—WYNNE GIBSON
"DOUBLE CROSS."
LEO GORCEY and EAST SIDE KIDS
"STAND AND DELIVER."
To-day—"CHAN IN RIO."

QUEEN'S—Times approx. 3, 6 and 8.45: Eire O'Reilly, Noel Purcell in "That's That," the new Musical Comedy, and supporting cast of old favourites. Doors open 2 o'c., commencing 2.30. Children's half-price Matinees all week. Also Novel Film Show. Prices: 1/6, 1/4, 1/- and 8d. Box seats 3/-.

GREEN—3.45, 6.30, 9.10. TYRONE POWER, "SECOND FIDDLE." Also LLOYD NOLAN, "GANGS OF CHICAGO" and Ep. 4 "SKY RAIDERS."

GRESHAM HOTEL.
SATURDAY DANCES
FROM 8 P.M. TILL MIDNIGHT.
Dancing to Billy Dingle and his Band.
DANCE 5/-
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BALLROOM DANCING CHAMPIONSHIPS,
TUESDAY, 14th APRIL,
NOVICE TROPHY,
AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP,
OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.
Adjudication by five leading Belfast Teachers.
DANCING 8.30 P.M. to 3 A.M.
Tickets (payable at door) 5/- (inc. tax).
BOOK YOUR TABLE NOW.
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OLYMPIC BALLROOM.
DUBLIN'S LARGEST BALLROOM.
TO-NIGHT, 8—11.30, 2/6.
Sunday Night—Ladies, 2/-; Gents., 2/6.
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Cycle Accommodation.

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ANNUAL EXHIBITION
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Admission, 1/-. Season Ticket, 3/-.

THE OLD BELVEDERE MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC SOCIETY
PRESENT
"THE ARCADIANS,"
GAIETY THEATRE,
WEEK COMMENCING 27th APRIL.
Book Now.
Producer—JOHN STEPHENSON.
Musical Director—Lieut. Michael Bowles.

CONTRACTS.

TIPPERARY COUNTY JOINT LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLY OF BOOKS.

The Tipperary County Joint Library Committee will consider Tenders at their Meeting on 5th May, 1942, for the Supply of Books for the period ending 31st March, 1943.

Booksellers will be required to supply Books as ordered by the Committee. They should stipulate the time within which they will undertake to supply the Books ordered, and agree to receive back any Books deemed unsuitable.

Tenders must be on the official Tender Form, obtainable from the undersigned, to whom Tenders should be addressed, in sealed envelopes, marked "Tender for Book Orders." The lowest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted.

All Tenders must reach this Office not later than first post TUESDAY, 5th MAY, 1942.

By Order,
(Signed) SEAMUS O BRAONAIN,
Leabharlannuidhe an Chonndae agus Runaidhe.
County Book Repository, Thurles, Co. Tipperary.

WICKLOW BOARD OF HEALTH AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE.

NOTICE TO OPTICIANS.

Tenders are invited for the Supply of Spectacles to School Children under the County Wicklow Schools Medical Service Scheme, during the 12 months commencing 1st May, 1942.

Approximately 200 pairs of Glasses will be required.

Tenders must be lodged with me by 12 noon on Monday, 27th April, 1942, and will be submitted to the meeting of the Board on that day.

By Order,
THOMAS BYRNE, Acting Secretary.
Boardroom, Rathdrum, 8/4/'42.

CHURCH NOTICES.

MESSIAH BI-CENTENARY.
UNITED CATHEDRAL CHOIRS.
ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL, MONDAY NEXT, 13th, 8 P.M. DOORS OPEN 7.15.
CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, TUESDAY NEXT, 14th, 8 P.M.
A Collection will be made for the Adelaide Hospital and for St. Patrick's Home for Nurses for the Sick Poor.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.
UNITED SCOUT SERVICE
SUNDAY, 12th APRIL, 3.15.
Preacher—The Rev. J. C. BREAKEY, M.A.
The Cathedral is open to all. Seats reserved for Scouts, etc., only.
Doors open at 2.30.

IRISH LOURDES CHURCH,
INCHICORE.
BENEDICTION SERVICE FOR SCOUTS AND GUIDES.
SUNDAY, APRIL 12, AT 3.30 p.m.
ADDRESS BY REV. W. DEVINE, O.M.I.
General Public Invited.

THE SYNAGOGUE,
ADELAIDE ROAD.
SPECIAL SERVICE FOR SCOUTS AND GUIDES.
APRIL 12, AT 3.30 p.m.
ADDRESS BY RABBI T. LEWIS.
General Public Invited.

SYDNEY HALL, BLACKROCK.
ONE WEEK'S VISIT, MR. JOHN GRANT.
Commencing Sunday, 12th April. Week days (except Saturday), 8 o'clock. (Singing 7.45).
Sundays, 7 o'clock. (Singing 6.45).

ROYAL Film at 2.50, 6.30, 9.25. Show at 4.10, 7.50.
"COCK A DOODLE DOO," also LAUREL & HARDY in "GREAT GUNS."
SUNDAY: Matinée at 3 p.m. Doors open 2.30 p.m.
Note: Owing to the length of this Gigantic Film, Show will commence all next week at 1 p.m. Matinée Prices to 3 p.m.
ERROL FLYNN, OLIVIA DE HAVILLAND.
With an overwhelming cast of 1,000's.
"THEY DIED WITH THEIR BOOTS ON."
"Garryowen" was their song.
"No Surrender" their cry.
WITH SUPERB STAGE SHOW.

REGAL ROOMS CINEMA. At 2.40, 4.50, 7. 0, 9.10.
Ilona MASSEY, Alan CURTIS,
"THE GREAT AWAKENING."
BOOK FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.

SAVOY At 2.33, 4.43, 6.53, 9.03.
Hollywood's greatest Story about Hollywood!
Joel McCREA, Veronica LAKE,
"SULLIVAN'S TRAVELS,"
With Eric BLORE.
It's Different! It's Thrilling! It's Funny!
BOOK FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.

CAPITOL TO-DAY at 2.27, 4.35, 6.43, 8.51.
RETAINED.
The Show that is captivating all Dublin.
BARBARA MULLEN, MICHAEL REDGRAVE
In
"JEANNIE."
BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.
Dine in the Hall Café or Oak Lounge.

ADELPHI At 2.30, 4.43, 6.56, 9.09.
RETAINED.
Jeanette MacDONALD, Brian AHERNE
in "SMILING THRU'"
(In Technicolour).
Like a haunting refrain, it captures your heart.
BOOK NOW FOR 8 P.M. SUNDAY.

ASTOR
Performance Daily from 12 noon.
DISNEY'S "FANTASIA."
"For sheer beauty and artistry no film I have seen is the equal of 'Fantasia.'"
—"Sunday Independent."
At 12.10, 2.10, 4.25, 6.40, 8.50.

CARLTON To-day at 2.25, 4.38, 6.50, 9.5.
ENORMOUS SUCCESS!
RETAINED SECOND WEEK.
SONJA HENIE in
SUN VALLEY SERENADE.
BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.

PAVILION DUN LAOGHAIRE. Con., 3 to 10.30 p.m.
TO-DAY:
Bud Abbott and Lou Costello in
"IN THE NAVY."
SUNDAY:
Alice Faye, Walter Winchell, Ben Bernie in
"WAKE UP AND LIVE."
Also "GEORGE AND MARGARET."
MONDAY:
Joan Bennett, Franchot Tone in
"SHE KNEW ALL THE ANSWERS."

REGENT CINEMA BLACKROCK.
Adolphe Menjou, Gloria Swanson in
"FATHER TAKES A WIFE."
Also
"LADY SCARFACE."
SUNDAY:
"TWO GUN CUPID."
Also
"DATE WITH DESTINY."

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY.
ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.
"A DAY AT THE ZOO."
Colour Films and Slides by
C. A. JONES.
Commentary, T. H. MASON.
FRIDAY NEXT, APRIL 17th, at 3 p.m. and at 8.15 p.m.
Members of R.D.S. and Members of R.Z.S. free. Members' friends 1/-.

DOMINICAN COLLEGE (ECCLES ST.).
PAST PUPILS' UNION
ANNUAL DANCE
(IN AID OF CHARITY.)
FRIDAY, 24th APRIL, 1942.
DANCING 10 p.m.-3 a.m.
GRESHAM HOTEL. TICKETS 10/-.

FEIS MAITIU, 1942.
To-day—10.30—Irish Ballet, Solo and Ensemble. 3 p.m.—Action Songs.
To-night—Physical Culture. Army Teams competing.

R.H.S.I. FLOWER SHOW.
BAGGOTRATH HALL, UPPER BAGGOT STREET.
Next Week:
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Luncheons, Dinners, Suppers.
Wedding Receptions : : Cocktail Bar.
YOU SHOULD STAY AT JURY'S.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAYS.

PASSENGER TRAIN ALTERATIONS.

On TO-DAY (SATURDAY), 11th APRIL, 1942, only the 4.40 p.m. train Bray to Harcourt street will be altered to leave Bray at 5.30 p.m.

By Order,
THE GENERAL MANAGER.

EVERY EGG HELPS.
ADELAIDE HOSPITAL EGG WEEK,
APRIL 13th-APRIL 20th.
Eggs are plentiful. Please remember us with any number, large or small.

CHURCH OF IRELAND.
CENTRAL COUNCIL FOR WOMEN'S CHURCH WORK.
DIPLOMA FOR WOMEN IN CONNECTION WITH RELIGIOUS AND SOCIAL WORK.
Application for information as to training, fees and future openings should be made to:
MISS HARTFORD,
5 SHANGANAGH TERRACE, KILLINEY, CO. DUBLIN.

LOUTH COUNTY COUNCIL.

TEMPORARY CLOSING OF PUBLIC ROADS.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1926.

The Louth County Council hereby give notice that they have applied to the Minister for Local Government and Public Health for an Order authorising the Council to close to public traffic County Road No. 153 between Lannat Three Roads and County Boundary in Tullydrum, and that portion of County Road No. 148 from County Boundary in Lannat to County Boundary in Tullydrum for the period on and from 25th April, 1942, until 30th June, 1943, for the purpose of carrying out improvement works.

Alternative routes will be as follows:—

NO. 153—Louth to Carrickmacross and Ballymackney from Lannat Three Roads, via Killanny Village and Tullyraine (County Roads Nos. 151 and 150).

NO. 148—Louth to Essexford and Carrickmacross, via Corcreaghy from Corcreaghy Three Roads South, via Corcreaghy (County Road No. 147).

Dated this 8th day of April, 1942.
By Order of the Council.
E. A. JOYCE, County Secretary.
County Offices, Dundalk.

PATENT.

THE Proprietors of Patent No. 13140, entitled "IMPROVEMENTS IN VALVES," desire to enter into arrangements with interested parties for the granting of Licences thereunder, or for the sale outright of the Patent. All communications to be addressed to:
H. D. FITZPATRICK and CO.,
Registered Patent and Trade Mark Agents,
16/17 Lower O'Connell Street, Dublin.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK.

DEBENTURE STOCKS.

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Cork Corporation Debenture Stocks will be Closed from the 13th to the 30th instant, both days inclusive.

By Order,
EDWARD J. TWOMEY, A.C.A.,
City Accountant and Registrar.
Dated, 11th April, 1942.
City Hall, Cork.

NOTICE is hereby given that the postponed Thirty-first Annual General Meeting of the Members of the ROYAL UNITED KINGDOM BENEFICENT ASSOCIATION will be held at the Offices of the Association, ALDINE HOUSE, 13 BEDFORD STREET, STRAND, LONDON, W.C.2, at 2.30 p.m. on TUESDAY, the 28th APRIL, 1942, to receive the report and accounts of the Committee for the year 1941 and to elect members of the Committee and Auditors (Amended Notice).

Signed, B. L. ANLEY, Brig.-General, Secretary.
April 10th, 1942.

MARMALADE
UNDER OUR NEW SPECIAL RECIPE.
SPLENDID MARMALADE CAN BE MADE WITH SWEET ORANGES AND LEMONS AT A COST OF ABOUT
7d. LB.
10 Oranges at 4d.
4 Lemons at 6½d.
Yields about 18 lbs. Marmalade.
FREE RECIPE WITH EVERY ORDER.
EXTRA ON COUNTRY ORDERS (INCLUDING BOX), 1/6, OR PRO RATA.
KNOWLES,
26/27 GRAFTON ST., DUBLIN.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

AN ROINN TALMHAIDHEACHTA.
SCOLÁIREACHTAÍ.

Tá roinnt deag Scoláireachtaí luachmhara i dTalmhaidheacht i nGarradóireacht, agus in Eolaidheacht Déiríochta, á dtairisgint le h-agaidh an t-Seisiún 1942-'43, ag an Roinn i gcomórtas tré scrúdú a tosnóchaidh i mBaile Átha Cliath ar an 2adh lá de Meitheamh, 1942. Is i gColáiste na h-Ollscoile i mBaile Átha Cliath a beidh na Scoláireachtaí i dTalmhaidheacht agus i nGarradóireacht le fagháil agus is i gColáiste na h-Ollscoile i gCorcaigh a beidh na Scoláireachtaí in Eolaidheacht Déiríochta le fagháil. Scríobhtar iarratais ar an bhfuirm órduighthe agus caithfidh siad a bheith in oifig na Roinne AR AN 1adh LÁ DE BEALTAINE, 1942, AR A DÉIDEANNAIGHE.

Is iad daoine dá gceadófar dul fá'n scrúdú ná daoine idir 18 mbliadhna agus 30 bliadhain d'aois ar a bhfuil oideachas maith (Caighdeán Dun-scrúduighthe Iol-Scoile) agus ag a bhfuil taithighe agus cleachta in ábhar na Scoláireachta.

Iad san atá ar intinn dul fá'n scrúdú ba cheart dóibh an clár agus fuirm iarratais d'fhagháil láithreach ó'n

RÚNAIDHE,
Roinn Talmhaidheachta,
(Rannóg 24 [1]),
Baile Átha Cliath.
N 2832. W.H.Co.

NEUTRALITY (WAR DAMAGE TO PROPERTY) ACT, 1941.
COUNTY BOROUGH OF DUBLIN.
PRELIMINARY ORDERS Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.

The Minister for Local Government and Public Health hereby gives Notice that he has instructed Mr. W. I. Bloomer, B.E., Assistant Chief Engineering Adviser, to hold a Public Inquiry into applications which have been made to him for the annulment or restriction of the Orders specified in the Schedule hereto, being preliminary Orders made by the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of Dublin, declaring that they propose to acquire certain lands under Section 20 of the Neutrality (War Damage to Property) Act, 1941, and that the said Mr. W. I. Bloomer, B.E., will attend at the City Hall, Dublin, on Thursday, the 23rd April, 1942, at the hour of eleven o'clock a.m., to make inquiry accordingly.

SCHEDULE.

The preliminary Orders entitled, respectively, Preliminary Order No. 1; Preliminary Order No. 2; Preliminary Order No. 3; Preliminary Order No. 4; Preliminary Order No. 5; Preliminary Order No. 6; Preliminary Order No. 7, and Preliminary Order No. 8, dated, respectively, the 14th October, 1941.

By Order of the Minister.
J. HURSON, Runai.
Department of Local Government and Public Health,
Custom House, Dublin.
N 2854. W.H.Co.

SUPPLIES OF ROOT SEEDS FOR SOWING IN 1942.

NOTICE TO FARMERS AND RETAIL SEED DISTRIBUTORS.

Owing to the limited quantity of mangel, swede and turnip seeds obtainable for sowing this season, arrangements have been made with Comhlucht Siuicre Eireann, Teo., to provide supplies of sugar beet seed for the production of a substitute root crop for stock feeding.

The terms arranged will enable retail seed merchants in all parts of the country to sell the seed to growers at a price not exceeding 1s. 10d. per lb.

Farmers who are unable to obtain their requirements of mangel, swede or turnip seed, and who wish to grow a substitute root crop, should immediately place their orders for sugar beet seed with their seed merchant.

Retail seed distributors can obtain supplies of sugar beet seed from any of the following firms:—

Messrs. John Atkins & Co., Ltd., 54 South Mall, Cork.
" David Bell (Eire), Ltd., 21 City Quay, Dublin.
" John Cox & Co., Ltd., Clanbrassil street, Dundalk.
" Alex. Dickson & Sons (Dublin), Ltd., 61 Dawson street, Dublin.
" Irish Agricultural Wholesale Society, Ltd., 151 Thomas street, Dublin.
" McKenzies, Camden Quay, Cork.
" M. Rowan & Co., Ltd., 51 Capel street, Dublin.
" Suttons, Ltd., 1 South Mall, Cork.

Applications for seed should not be made to Comhlucht Siuicre Eireann.

D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
Department of Agriculture.
10th April, 1942.
N 2855. W.H.Co.

ROINN COSANTA
(Department of Defence).

TENDERS FOR PAINTING.

The Minister for Defence will receive sealed tenders up to, but not later than, noon on the 1st May, 1942, for External Painting Work at the under-mentioned Military Barracks and Posts:—

Collins Barracks, Dublin.
Gormanston Camp, Co. Meath.
Waterford Barracks.
Collins Barracks, Cork.
Fort Templebreedy, Co. Cork.
Fort Camden, Co. Cork.
Fort Berehaven, Co. Cork.

Copies of the Specifications, etc., may be obtained on application to The Secretary, Department of Defence (Contracts Branch), Parkgate, Dublin, on lodgment of a fee of £1 1s. 0d. (one guinea) in respect of each Specification. The fee will be refunded on the return of the documents.

Only tenders submitted on the official forms will be considered.

The Minister does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

PEADAR MacMATHGHAMHNA,
Rúnaidhe.
N 2850. W.H.Co.

TIMBER FOR SALE.

There is available for Sale on the State Forest Lands at Glencree, Co. Wicklow, a quantity of timber, comprising:—

128 SCOTSPINE,
24 SPRUCE,
20 LARCH,
3 SILVER FIR,
43 OAK,
} Suitable for various uses.

The Timber may be seen at any time by arrangement with the Officer-in-Charge, Mr. P. V. Delaney, Crone, Enniskerry, Co. Wicklow.

Offers, which should be marked "Tender, Timber, Glencree," will be received up to midday April 22nd, 1942, and should be addressed to The Secretary, Department of Lands (Forestry Division), 88 Merrion square, Dublin, C 17.

The Department does not undertake to accept the highest or any tender.
N 2850. W.H.Co.

TIMBER FOR SALE.

There is available for Sale on the State Forest Lands at Mountrath, Leix, a quantity of timber, comprising:—

654 recently peeled Spruce Logs, 12' long, suitable for boxboard, etc.

The Timber may be seen at any time by arrangement with the Officer-in-Charge, Mr. M. Dalton, Baunreagh, Mountrath, Co. Leix.

Offers, which should be marked "Tender, Timber, Mountrath," will be received up to midday April 22nd, 1942, and should be addressed to The Secretary, Department of Lands (Forestry Division), 88 Merrion square, Dublin.

The Department does not undertake to accept the highest or any tender.
N 2850. W.H.Co.

EIRE.
NOTICE BY THE REVENUE COMMISSIONERS.

PERSONAL CLOTHING AND WEARING APPAREL.

The Revenue Commissioners give Notice that, at the request of the Minister for Industry and Commerce, and with the approval of the Minister for Finance, they will revoke as from the 1st May, 1942, inclusive, all licences which were issued by them before that date for the Importation of Personal Clothing and Wearing Apparel without payment of duty or at a reduced rate of duty, and which were not presented to the Customs with the entry for the goods before that date.

Dublin Castle, 10th April, 1942.
N 2850. W.H.Co.

EMERGENCY POWERS ACT, 1939.

The Government have made an Order under the above-mentioned Act, entitled Emergency Powers (No. 164) Order, 1942, suspending for a period the duties on cobblers' hemp, linen and cotton thread and ply yarn.

Copies of the Order will be obtainable in due course from the Government Publications Sale Office, 3/4 College street, Dublin, or through any bookseller.

Department of Industry and Commerce.
10th April, 1942.
N 2855. W.H.Co.

COMPANY NOTICES.

COMHLUCHT SIUICRE EIREANN, TEORANTA.

Notice is hereby given that the Registers of Stockholders of the 4% Guaranteed Debenture Stock of the Company, and Transfer Registers relating thereto, will be Closed as and from the 17th day of April, 1942, to the 30th day of April, 1942, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.
TIMOTHY O'HANRAHAN, Secretary.
7 Clare Street, Dublin.
11th April, 1942.

Irish Times

SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 1942.

County Management

Some weeks ago we drew attention to the procedure of the Department of Local Government in respect of four important Acts of the Oireachtas. These measures were the County Management, the Public Assistance, and the Local Government Acts, and the Act which incorporates Howth in the City of Dublin—all of which, in effect, are a single enactment. One of these measures became law in July of 1939, two others in 1940, and the fourth in the middle of last year. Our comment, which failed to make nice distinctions between the dates on which the measures were introduced and debated, and those on which they wandered through their various stages into law, drew a vigorous protest from the Minister for Local Government. Taking advantage of a quite unimportant technical inaccuracy, he described our criticism as having been "mischievous, uninformed, and tendencious." We make Mr. MacEntee a present of his adjectives, and return to the facts as they are recalled by his Department's latest effort—the County Management (Amending) Bill—to complete its patchwork quilt of ineffective legislation. Mr. MacEntee does not, and cannot, question our statement that an Act which became law in July, 1939, was framed, as one of three measures, declared to be independent—all of which either would remain inoperative or take effect concurrently. The second of these measures, the County Management Act, became law in June of 1940; but the third, the Local Government Act, was allowed to drift through its parliamentary stages until last year. Now, despite the Minister's own statement that all these Acts would be put into operation during the present month, we are presented with the strange phenomenon of a Bill to amend, and in certain respects to repeal, legislation before it becomes operative. Is there, we wonder, any precedent for such procedure?

The Minister, of course, may enter the defence that war emergencies, involving the suspension of local elections, could not be foreseen in 1939. That defence might be good were it not for the fact (on which stress was laid in Mr. MacEntee's protest) that the third of his Department's legislative triplets became law "barely six months ago." Was there then, we ask, any doubt that this year's local elections would be postponed? Was there any reason why the necessary amendments could not then have been inserted, instead of being presented to the Dail after six, or more, months' delay? In asking these questions we have no desire to score debating points or to justify our previous criticisms. The real issues at stake are far too important. Mr. MacEntee will not dissent, we hope, from two propositions. Firstly, local administration is of vital national importance. Secondly, the three Acts for which he has inherited responsibility combine to bring about a root-and-branch reorganisation of local government institutions. It is for these, and not for any other, reasons that this newspaper has persisted with constructive criticisms of a Department which, whoever its Minister may have been, seems to have pursued a policy of surmounting difficulties by shutting its eyes to their existence. If we wished to "rub in" such habits of procrastination, we might ask Mr. MacEntee why successive Ministers have been satisfied to say that the Greater Dublin Tribunal's three-year-old report is still "under consideration." We might ask him what has happened to the three-year-old deliberations of Dublin's Housing Inquiry. We might have something to say about hospital plans. Mr. MacEntee's Department is unique at least in one respect. It enjoys the services of two Parliamentary Secretaries. Why should it also be distinguished by its repute for procrastination and evasion?

A Gallant Venture

We make no apology for a return to the subject of meals for school children. It is justified not merely in itself, but by the news that a band of four Dublin students has undertaken a responsibility which ought to have been shouldered by the State or the Corporation. The work of these students was described in our issue of Thursday last. In effect, they are furnishing hot meals to more than a hundred children from certain Dublin schools. They buy the meals from that admirable institution, Goodwill Restaurants, Ltd., and transport them to the schools in a van provided by a city business firm. Children who are in a position to pay for their meals obtain them at cost price, which is 2d. a head: those who cannot afford the price receive them free. It is impossible to praise this venture too highly. These young people are, to all intents and purposes, unknown; they have virtually no financial backing, and hitherto have paid the cost of the free meals out of their own pockets; they have nothing to gain, except the consciousness that they are doing a kind and patriotic job of work. If they did no more than provide a hundred-odd children with a daily meal at the proper time, they would deserve well of their city, but they are, rightly, anxious to extend the scope of their activities. Several school managers, observing the success of the experiment, have requested them to expand the service to include their own schools, and it has been arranged that a further 520 children will be fed from Monday onwards: if all the requests could be entertained, 1,200 children would receive meals daily. Students, however, are not apt to be well-endowed with money, and the purchase of the meals demands a constant supply of capital. The estimated need is for £50 a week—which will satisfy the demand of those 1,200 children. We do not hesitate to commend this enterprise to the generosity of our readers, in every confidence that they will lend it their support, preferably in the form of a fixed weekly contribution. We commend it also to the notice of the authorities as an instance of private endeavour in what by rights would be a public field. It was desirable at the best of times that school-children should receive their principal meal at the proper hour; and a step was taken in advance when the Department of Education some weeks ago sanctioned a long break at midday. The problem, however, is not solved. For one reason or another, very many children cannot go home for their midday meal; if they cannot have it in school, or at some adjoining centre, they must go without food. In an effort to cope with this injustice—we cannot call it otherwise—even in a small way, the four students have initiated their experiment. It deserves to succeed, and we hope that it will shame the authorities into action.

A Costly Ghost

Some weeks ago we commented on Professor Joad's experiences with *Poltergeister* in a frankly incredulous manner, as, indeed, we have treated most other tales of psychical phenomena; but a story which appeared in the newspapers recently must give us pause. It is the story of a *Poltergeist* which set fire to twenty rooms, heaped furniture in the drawing-room, and emptied jugs of water over the beds, in a mansion in Fife. Similar tales have been told a thousand times, but there is one respect in which this story differs from all others; in this case the activities of the *Poltergeist* were so concrete that an insurance company paid out £400 for damages by fire when the matter had been thoroughly investigated. The investigator was satisfied that the fire was not caused by any of the occupants, and he was equally satisfied that it had not been caused accidentally. An insurance company's investigator is, one would think, the last person likely to be hoodwinked by any mischievous sprite, especially when belief in *Poltergeist* activity, a difficult enough feat at any time, means handing out £400, normally sufficient to make any insurance agent cover the ground doubly before agreeing to grant damages. Nevertheless, the fact remains that the insurance company paid out the money—we have the word of Mr. J. W. Herries, who told the story at an Edinburgh business club lunch that it is true—and, unless the investigator happened to be either a very gullible person or a spiritualist, there must have been some justification for his decision. This story will speak more for the cause of spiritualism than a thousand books on the subject or a thousand records of "authentic" *séances*. The general public always suspects professional mediums of fraudulent dealings, and amateurs like Professor Joad of fertile imaginations; but few people would be inclined to doubt the word of an insurance company which stands to lose by credulity. It is a strange tale, and, unless there is a publicity "catch" in it somewhere, we fail to find any logical explanation for it.

VISCOUNTESS POWERSCOURT, Lady O'Loghlen and Madame Goor were among those who attended the bridge drive in the Royal Hibernian Hotel, yesterday, held by the Royal National Lifeboat Institution.

The Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress last night attended the Inchicore Red Cross dance, held at Arus Mhuire.

Mr. Leslie Howard has arrived in Dublin, and is staying at the Gresham Hotel.

Major T. C. Goff has returned to Ballybrack, Co. Dublin.

Miss Iris de Stacpoole has returned to Tobertynan, Co. Meath.

Mr. William Teeling has arrived at Lucan House from Northern Ireland.

The engagement is announced between Major John Bernard Fallon, M.A. (T.C.D.), the Duke of Wellington's Regiment, eldest son of Mr. Bernard Fallon, Royal Irish Constabulary (retired), and the late Mrs. O'Brien Fallon, 59 Ranelagh road, Dublin, and Katherine (Kitty), elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Mullan, Lennoxbrook, Kells, Co. Meath.

The marriage arranged between David Hogg McNeill, elder son of the late C. S. and of Mrs. McNeill, Kinbally, Dalkey, and Hilda Houston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Houston, Brighton road, Rathgar, will take place quietly in England early in May.

The marriage arranged between Jack Green, Ulster Bank, Ltd., Tullamore, and Mary Robinson, 2 Faughart terrace, Dundalk, will take place quietly at the end of the month.

Dr. Stafford Johnson has left town for two weeks.

Dr. F. McMenamin has returned to 38 Lower Baggot street.

Dr. Michael J. Mullen has returned to 13 Parnell square.

Dr. Ella Webb has returned to 39 St. Kevin's Park.

Mr. J. E. Willoughby, L.D.S.I., has returned to 84 Harcourt street.

The Kildare Hunt Ball will be held at the Gresham Hotel on Wednesday, April 29th, the second night of Punchestown. Committee: Mrs. C. Mitchell, Mr. G. Smithwick, Captain H. de Burgh, Hon. Sec.; Miss M. Odlum, Leinster Grove, Naas. Tickets, £1, may be obtained from Hon. Sec., or the Gresham Hotel. Tables will be reserved for ticket-holders only. Dancing, 10 p.m.-3 a.m. Buffet supper.

Switzers Ladies' Hairdressing Salons offer a first-class service in "Eugéne" and "Macdonald" Permanent Waving, also "Jamal" Machineless Waving. List of service charges free on request. 'Phone 76821.

W. Leon, 24 Grafton street, has great pleasure in announcing the re-opening of Premises on Tuesday next, 14th April, commencing with a Sale of Coats, Suits, Gowns and Furs, which will continue for two weeks.—W. Leon, Ltd., 24 Grafton street, Dublin.

Tailormade Costumes by Mr. Mumford from 7 gns. Ladies' own cloths made up for 5¼ gns.—Pim Bros., Ltd., George's street, Dublin.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Lehane, Tailors, 6 South Anne street, Grafton street—Dresswear, Sportswear, Overcoats, Breeches.

Trianon, 17 Merrion Row. . . Dresses. . . Designs. . . by Patrick Perrott.

Clarks Shoes, in many glorious colourings, are part of the Spring displays now at Stephens and Bourke.

Maguire and Gatchell are displaying Table Glass of Fashion and Exquisite China, most acceptable and useful Presents, at 10 Dawson street, Dublin.

To Ladies—Medical Appliances, Belts, etc. Artificial Silk Elastic Stockings which defy detection, or Lastex and Lastestar Stockings, which need no covering hose and wash well. Lady attendants.—Fannin and Co., Ltd., 41 Grafton St.

Sharpley's, Specialists, Baby Linen, Nursery Accouchement Sets. Price List—2 Nassau Street, Dublin.

ON THE WIRELESS TO-DAY

Times given are Summer Time. Where Double Summer Time is in force add one hour.

IRISH PROGRAMME

6.0—Hilda Shea's Trio and Michael Tomelty (tenor). 6.35—Light Music. 6.40—Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—"Bhí an Fheith Ionnta": Cainteanna ar Eoluithe Mora Eireannacha le Seamus Mac Cnaimhin. Uimh. a 3: "Mallet agus Stokes." 7.20—Saturday Night Concert by Irish Radio Orchestra (conductor, Lieut. M. A. Bowles) and Harold Hope Johnston (baritone). 8.0—Renée Collinson (piano). 8.15—Evelyn Maccabe Forbes (mezzo-soprano). 8.35—"Shaw and Singing," A Talk by T. J. Walsh. 8.45—Leo Rowsome's Uilleann Pipe Quartette. 9.0—"Oidhche sa Cheardchain": Maire Ni Chealliachain agus a cuallacht. 9.30—"A Famous First Night"—Presented by Labhras MacMurchadha. 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—"Good Old Songs."

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

6.0—News. 6.15—Records. 6.30—Exercises. 6.50—Tune for To-day. 6.55—Prayers. 7.0—News. 7.15—Kitchen Front. 7.20—"Movietunes." 8.0—Organ. 8.30—Continental Players. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Orchestra. 10.30 — "Evidrion." 10.45 — Caravan Players. 11.15—Music for Easter. 11.30—Workers' Playtime. 12.0—News. 12.15—"Backs to the Land." 12.30—Two Pianos. 1.0—Fred Hartley. 1.30—B.B.C. Orchestra. 2.30—"Souvenirs." 3.0—"My Best Story." 3.30—Red Cross Radio Contest. 4.0—News in Welsh. 4.5—Talk in Welsh. 4.20—Children's Hour. 5.0—News. 5.30—Orchestra. 6.0—In Town To-night. 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—The Week in Westminster. 7.0—"Escape to Freedom." 7.15—Saturday Social. 8.0—News. 8.20—American Commentary. 8.35—"The Lady Talks." 9.10—Great Victorians. 9.15—Evensong. 9.30—"The Cave of Harmony." 10.0—Keyboard Music. 10.20—Billy Cotton. 11.0—News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

5.30—Records. 6.0—News. 6.15—Records. 7.0 — News. 7.15 — "Movietunes." 8.0—Home. 8.30—Home. 9.15—"Rhythm Isn't Rationed." 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0 — "Treasure Trove." 10.20—Band. 10.45—Caravan Players. 11.15—Organ. 11.30—Home. 12.0—News. 12.15—Harry Roy. 12.45—Recording. 1.0—Fred Hartley. 1.30—Jack Hylton. 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—Girls' Choir. 2.45—Saturday Sport. 4.0—"Singing Strings." 4.15—Radio Gazette. 4.30—"Shipmates Ashore." 5.0—News. 5.30—"That Certain Tune." 5.40—"The Dancing Years." 6.10—The Singing Sailor. 6.30—"The Whoopee Club." 7.15—Home. 8.0—News. 8.20—"Stage Panorama." 9.20 — "Taxi!" 9.35 — Irish Rhythms. 10.0—Close down.

TO-MORROW

IRISH PROGRAMME

5.30—Promenade Concert—Tschaikowsky: "The Polish Symphony in D major"—Played by the National Symphony Orchestra of America. 6.30—Nora Finn (contralto). 6.45—News. 7.0—"Ask Detective-Sergeant Murphy"—A Series by Cusex. 7.20—James P. Burke (tenor). 7.30—Nuacht na Seachtaine. 7.45—Irish Radio Orchestra (conductor, Lieut. M. A. Bowles). 8.15—"Question Time" and Concert, with Joseph Linnane, relayed from Savoy Cinema, Limerick. 9.15—"The Woman Who Started the War"—Radio Play by H. L. Morrow. 9.55—Appeal on behalf of the Hospice for the Dying, Harold's Cross, Dublin, by Frank Hugh O'Donnell. 10.0—News. 10.20—An Nua-Bhanna Ceilidhe, directed by Proinsias O Ceallaigh. 10.50—Gaelic Sports Talk—Sean O Ceallachain.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

6.0—News. 6.15—Quintet. 7.0—Organ. 7.30—Records. 8.0—News. 8.30—Service. 9.15—Music-Lovers. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—In Town To-night. 10.30—Band. 11.0—"Mostly for Women." 11.10—Mozart and Debussy. 11.45—Orchestra. 12.0 — News. 12.15 — "Marshalling Yard." 12.30—Tchaikovsky. 12.55—Hymns. 1.15—Garden. 1.30—Beethoven. 2.35—"The Storm." 3.40—Christian Worship. 3.55—News in Welsh. 4.15—Children's Hour. 5.0—News. 5.30—"Messiah." 5.45—"The First Page." 5.50—"Madam Vestris." 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—"Did You Miss This?" 7.0—Service. 7.40—Week's Good Cause. 7.45—"Salute to the U.S.S.R." 8.0—News. 8.30 — "The Cornerstones." 9.45 — Epilogue. 9.53—Orchestra. 10.20—My Violin Speaks. 10.45—Lullaby. 11.0—News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

5.30—"Reveille!" 6.0—News. 6.15—Records. 7.0—Organ. 7.30—Variety Orchestra. 8.0—News. 8.30—Tommy Handley. 9.0—Masters in Miniature. 9.25—For Indian Forces. 10.0—Service. 10.15—Organ. 10.30—Band. 11.0—"Melody Special." 11.35—Bob Hope. 12.0—News. 12.15—Saturday Social. 1.0—"Accent on Rhythm." 1.15 — Variety. 1.50 — "The Greatest of These." 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—"Caprice Viennois." 3.0—Brains Trust. 3.45—Ice Hockey. 4.15—Orchestra. 5.0 — News. 5.30 — "Hi, Gang!" 6.10—Weekly News-Letter. 6.30—Sunday Half-hour. 7.0—Malta. 7.15—Music-Hall. 8.0—News. 8.30—"Here We Go"—3. 9.0—Home. 9.8—"Hurrah for Hollywood!" 9.45—Billy Cotton. 10.20—Close down.

TESTIMONIAL TO DUBLIN MINISTER

In the presence of a large gathering at the Abbey Church Hall, Parnell square, Dublin, the Rev. J. C. Breakey, B.A., and Mrs. Breakey, received testimonials of the high esteem in which they were held by the Congregation. For over fourteen years the Rev. Mr. Breakey has been minister at the Abbey Church, but recently he received a call to Fortwilliam Park Church, Belfast, which he accepted. Last night's ceremony was one of farewell, in which many were the expressions of goodwill and good fortune to the departing minister and his wife.

Mr. Robert Wright, Clerk of Session, presided, and the presentations took the form of a wallet of notes and a silver tray, suitably engraved. The company was entertained at tea and to music contributed by Miss Thomson, Mr. Marcus Ruddle and Mr. Mervyn Bell.

GRAND OPERA SOCIETY

The Dublin Grand Opera Society will open their spring season in the Gaiety Theatre on Monday next. Their first presentation will be Handel's "Messiah," in honour of the bicentenary of its first performance at the "New Musick Hall" in Fishamble street, Dublin. The soloists are Miss Rita Lynch, Miss Patricia Black, Mr. James Johnston and Mr. Hooton Mitchel, and the combined choirs, numbering 300, include the Dublin Grand Opera Society, Culwick Choral Society, J. Turner Huggard's Oratorio Choir, University of Dublin Choral Society, and University College, Dublin, Musical Society. The special stage setting has been designed by Mr. Michael Scott, M.R.I.A.I., and the conductor for Monday's performance is Captain J. M. Doyle. The second performance on Sunday, April 19, will be under the baton of Mr. J. Turner Huggard.

BOYS' BRIGADE DISPLAYS

Two Dublin Companies of the Boys' Brigade—the 15th (St. James's Parish) and the 32nd (Clontarf Presbyterian Church)—were inspected and congratulated last night, the latter by Lord HolmPatrick, and the former by Mr. S. Gihon, Secretary, Belfast Battalion.

At the display given by the 15th Company, which was the occasion of their jubilee inspection, in the Metropolitan Hall, selections were played by the brass band of the 1st Dublin Company (St. Matthias's, St. Peter's and Harold's Cross Parishes), and the programme included physical training, squad drill, and an interesting tableau depicting departments of work carried on by the company.

The annual inspection of the 32nd Company, which took place in the Abbey Lecture Hall, was the forty-second. There were many items on the programme, among them being squad drill, signalling, drill down, physical training, ground pyramids and gymnastics. Selections were played by the silver band of the 14th Dublin Company, conducted by Mr. C. G. Bannister.

THE HANDEL BICENTENARY

Owing to the great demand for admission to Christ Church Cathedral for "The Messiah," on Tuesday next, tickets for all the available space have been sent to applicants, and no more tickets can be issued.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	Tomorrow.
Rises	6.37	6.35
Sets	8.17	8.19
Lighting-up Time.	8.47	8.49

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

SIR CORNELIUS J. GREGG, Deputy Chairman of the Board of Inland Revenue, who has been appointed Chairman of the Board, in succession to Sir Gerald Bain-Canny, is a native of Kilkenny. Educated at the Christian Brothers' Schools, Kilkenny, Blackrock College and University College, Dublin (he is a B.A. of the Royal University, Ireland), he has had an outstanding career in the British Civil Service. Nephew of Mr. Mr. Joseph C. Gregg, for many years Commissioner of Valuation, Chief Boundary Surveyor and Director of Ordnance Survey in Ireland, Sir Cornelius was appointed Acting Secretary of the Board of Inland Revenue in 1932, and a Commissioner three years later. From 192[illegible] to 1924 he was lent to the Irish Government to assist in dealing with financial and other problems of the new State. He is married to a Kilkenny lady, who is daughter of Mr. Thomas Crotty, of a well-known legal family, and they have two sons and three daughters.

Told M.P.s to Talk Less

A second notable retirement announced to-day is that of Sir William Codling, Controller of the British Stationery Office since 1919, who, when asked by a Committee of the House of Commons how the cost of Hansard, the official report of debates could be reduced, said that he could only suggest that honourable members might talk less. Sir William has a staff of three thousand, and they publish normally between five and six thousand books and papers a year. He spends about two and a half million pounds on Government printing. Rush work is no novelty to his officials; they once printed and despatched sixteen million forms between 9.30 one evening and 5 o'clock the next. Britain owes such a practical thing as the Stationery Office to an Irishman, Edmund Burke, the sublime orator, writer and political philosopher, who, when Paymaster-General, discovered that the privilege—and profit—of supplying Whitehall with stationery was enjoyed by Horace Walpole; also that it was a matter of high indifference to Walpole, who cleared £4,000 a year, what sort of stuff Whitehall got. Burke appointed one man with a salary of £600 a year, a staff and an office, and instructed him to make the proper and economical supply of stationery to the Government his one job and study.

Naval Losses

"Great prizes do not come to ships which cower in port," comments the Rothermere owned *Evening News* to-night, discussing the loss of the Hermes, Dorsetshire, and Cornwall, "but the time appears to have arrived when the method of assessing risks must be scrutinised in the light of the powerful and successful use the Japanese are making of the 'plane—both from bases on shore and from aircraft carriers—in the war at sea. The Japanese have outmoded all the old naval ways by their bold and determined employment of 'planes, and especially torpedo planes, to seek out and destroy by mass attacks far out at sea. For a long time in this war Britain underrated the deadliness of the 'plane over the water. There was some justification, for the Germans and Italians have relied mainly on the bomb as a weapon of attack from the air, and such successes as they achieved were principally against small ships and unarmed vessels. In the first year of the war no ship of any importance was sunk by aerial attack."

Negro Conductor

The cheerful and ebony face of Mr. Rudolph Dunbar, London representative of the Associated Negro Press of America, is often to be seen in the Press room of the Ministry of Information. He is one of many interesting "foreigners" there. Another "character" is Mr. D. V. Thamanker, of the United States Press of India, colloquially addressed as "Tommy," who stands on his head for ten minutes every morning, and says that this clears his brain for the day. Mr. Thamanker is a chess player of championship standard. Few of his fellow-workers are aware that Mr. Dunbar, a native of British Guiana, is the author of the standard work on the clarinet. He studied music in New York, Paris and Leipzig, and is to conduct the London Philharmonic at the Albert Hall on April 26, in the first performance in Europe of a work by an American negro, Mr. W. F. Stills.

Notable Publisher

Lieutenant-Colonel Philip Albert Meldon, whose death is announced, was, from 1932 to 1939, chairman and managing director of one of London's most successful publishing houses. He represented Ireland at both cricket and football. Son of the late Sir Albert Meldon, of Dublin, and Vevey House, Bray, Colonel Meldon was educated at Stonyhurst and Beaumont, and was an M.A. of T.C.D. He served throughout the South African war, and was Professor of Artillery and Tactics at the Royal Military College of Canada before the last war, in which he served in France and Gallipoli with great distinction, being three times wounded, and mentioned in despatches.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

I.T. v. D.U.T.C. (5 Rounds)

A reader sends me the following:—

"Here is an account of a bout in five rounds, which attracted a great deal of attention and quiet amusement. Or perhaps you had noticed it yourself:

"**Round One:** 'A further curtailment in public transport is coming. So far as Dublin is concerned . . . many 'buses which at present operate in between the peak meal-time hours will, it is considered, be lopped off, and it is possible that shortly the last 'buses will leave the city at 10 p.m.'—*Irish Times*, March 25th, 1942.

"**Round Two:** 'The statement under the heading "Fewer 'Bus Services for Cities" in the *Irish Times* yesterday represents uninformed speculation so far as the services operated by this company are concerned. No curtailment of the services along the lines mentioned is contemplated.'—D.U.T.C. official, March 26th, 1942.

"**Round Three:** 'As foreshadowed already in the *Irish Times*, motor passenger transport services are to be reduced.'—*Irish Times*, March 31st, 1942.

"**Round Four:** 'The drastic curtailment in Eire's transport services will be announced within the next day or two. . . .'—*Irish Times*, April 6th, 1942.

"**Round Five:** 'The last 'buses from the city centres on all routes will depart at 10 p.m. . . . Services during the slack hours will be reduced considerably . . .'—D.U.T.C. statement, April 7th, 1942.

"*The D.U.T.C. throws in the towel.*"

Leslie Howard

It might interest the large numbers of Irish "fans" of Mr. Leslie Howard, who arrived in Dublin yesterday morning, to know that he made his first appearance on the stage in "Peg o' My Heart." That was in 1917, and the same year he went on tour as Charley Wykeham in "Charley's Aunt." Strangely unimportant parts for the future Romeo of the silver screen!

His first London part was that of Ronald Herrick in "The Freaks," which was staged in the New Theatre in 1918, and his first part in what might be called a good play was that of Brian Strange in A. A. Milne's "Mr. Pim Passes By."

Other well-known plays which came later included "Outward Bound," "Shall We Join the Ladies?" and, of course, "Berkeley Square," in a revival of which play he scored one of his greatest sucecsses. In latter years he produced a great many plays as well as acting in them.

Virtuoso

Mr. Howard had an amusing experience when he began his sight-seeing.

He visited what he described as "the very lovely church" at Whitefriar street, where a lady looked up from her prayers and quite obviously recognised him. "She came right across and asked me for my autograph," said Mr. Howard, "and, when I suggested that it was hardly a suitable place, she said: "Well, come outside."

"I did," he added.

Incidentally, I satisfied myself on a point which had always puzzled me. In one of his films, "Escape to Happiness," Mr. Howard, as a violinist, gave a display of extraordinary virtuosity with his instrument. I have since wondered if he was really a violinist.

"I can't play a note," he confessed yesterday. "Actually, if I could get two violinists to help me, I had thought of showing my audience to-morrow just how it was done. Do you think they would be interested?"

I certainly do.

Apostrophe or Not?

Mr. William O'Brien asks me:—

I wonder on what evidence is the statement made that the late Cruise O'Brien insisted on his name appearing without an apostrophe? I have looked through my files of "Dialogues of the Day" (1906), "The National Democrat" (1907), "The Peasant" and "The Irish Nation" (1907-1910), and "The Irish Review" (1911-1914), and in all these he is always referred to as "O'Brien."

Also on the Lecky pamphlet, "Clerical Influences," which he edited jointly with W. E. G. LLoyd, and in the Lecture Lists of the Young Ireland Branch of the U.I.L., including the one on which his name appears as President, his name is spelt in the conventional manner.

What is the evidence on the other side?

QUIDNUNC.

WEDDING

MR. J. P. FLYNN AND MISS S. O'SULLIVAN

The wedding took place on Wednesday last at St. John the Baptist's Church, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, of Mr. John P. Flynn, Strawhall, Carlow, son of the late Mr. J. P. Flynn and of Mrs. Flynn, Skerries House, Athy, Co. Kildare, and Miss Sara O'Sullivan, daughter of D.I. Tobias B O'Sullivan, R.I.C., and the late Mrs. O'Sullivan, Listowel, Co. Kerry. The bridegroom's uncle, the Rev. J. Masterson, who officiated, was assisted by the Rev. Father Hurley. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. John P. O'Sullivan, and was attended by Miss Joan O'Riordan. Dr. M. Flynn was best man. After a reception held at the Marine Hotel, Dun Laoghaire, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Flynn left for the South of Ireland.

ROTUNDA HOSPITAL FOUNDER

The annual Service in commemoration of Dr. Bartholomew Mosse, founder and first Master of the Rotunda Hospital, was held yesterday in the Chapel of the hospital. The Chaplain, the Rev. A. M. B. Mack, and the Rev. J. L. Atkinson intoned the Service, and the sermon was preached by the Rev. W. C. de Pauley. Dr. G. H. P. Hewson was at the organ, and among the large attendance was the Archbishop of Dublin, the Most Rev. A. Barton, D.D.

NEW ZEALAND FLAX

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—New Zealand flax (*Phormium Tenax*) is common in the gardens of Ireland. Whether or no there are difficulties in turning it into rope, it is highly efficient as a substitute for twine if the green leaves are merely torn into strips. The same applies to the New Zealand "Cabbage Tree" (*Cordylina Australis*), which is found in most gardens here, especially near the sea. Even in peace-time this is well worth growing, not only for its ornamental value, but for use as garden twine.—Yours, etc.,

MANNING ROBERTSON.
10 Raglan road, Dublin,
April 10th, 1942.

DUKE OF GLOUCESTER AT GIBRALTAR

It was reported that the Duke of Gloucester had arrived at Gibraltar in a four-engined 'plane from Egypt, says an Associated Press telegram from La Linea yesterday. He was expected to remain at Gibraltar until Sunday.

OBITUARY

CAPTAIN J. M. CULHANE

The death occurred yesterday, in a private nursing home, Dun Laoghaire, at the age of 48, of Captain Joseph M. Culhane, late R.A.V.C. (S.R.), who was British Government Veterinary Officer at Nyasaland from 1920 to 1939. Educated at Clongowes Wood College, and at the Veterinary College of Ireland, where he qualified in 1915, he was attached to the R.A.V.C. until 1919, and served with the British Army of Occupation in the Rhine. He was the elder son of the late Mr. P. Culhane, D.I., R.I.C., and a brother of Mr. J. P. Culhane, manager, Hibernian Bank, Ltd., Wicklow.

HELPING GREYSTONES' CHARITIES

A successful dramatic entertainment in aid of the St. John Ambulance Dinners and other charities was given in St. Kilian's Hall, Greystones, last night by local residents. The show was well produced by Sydney Keane, who, in addition, gave a polished performance as Julian Nettlebed in "He Dines Alone," by Harold Simpson. R. M. Gamble, as Wreath, the butler, was also good. Major Smyth proved himself to be an accomplished actor in two sketches, "The Grand Baron of Greystones" and "The Baker's Dozen," in both of which he received excellent support from Mrs. Marcia Smyth. Others who acquitted themselves well were: Mrs. Sylvia McCormack, J. Saul, Miss Anne Meldon, Miss Rill Devlin, Alfred Bruty, Mrs. Mitchell, Miss Peacocke, Pat West, and Victor Hamilton.

SUGAR-BEET SEED

The Department of Agriculture has made arrangements with the Irish Sugar Company to provide supplies of sugar-beet seed for the production of a substitute root crop for stock feeding, it is announced to-day. This step has been necessitated by the limited supplies of mangel, swede and turnip seeds obtainable for sowing this year. The best seed will be on sale all over the country at 1s. 10d. a pound, and farmers should place their orders with their seed merchant immediately. Retail distributors should not apply to the Sugar Company for supplies, but to one of the firms listed in the advertisement inserted in this issue by the Department of Agriculture.

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Evening	10.10	10.58

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BOOKS OF THE WEEK

Mr. Kees Van Hoek

A Disclaimer

In an article, entitled: "The Irish Catholic Front," a review of the Capuchin Annual, 1942, written by Mr. Patrick Kavanagh, and published in our issue of January 10th last, some slighting references were made to "Journalists from the Continent of Europe" writing in Irish papers.

Mr. Kees van Hoek is a well-known continental journalist, living and working in Ireland, and wide exception has been taken to these references of Mr. Patrick Kavanagh, and their publication in the *Irish Times*.

We much regret having published remarks which caused annoyance to Mr. Kees van Hoek, and we assure him and our readers that neither the writer nor ourselves had the least intention of slighting a journalist, whose standing and reputation are beyond reproach, and for whose work we have nothing but respect.

Christian Art in Ireland

Christian Art in Ireland, 2 Vols.; Vol. I. (1932), 27pp., 80 Plates. One Guinea. Vol. II. (1941), 184pp., 150 Plates. 30 shillings; boards. Dublin: Stationery Office.

THE appearance of this large official publication (Vol. II.) no less than ten years after the issue of the first volume suggests that a *post-mortem* rather than review is what is required. It is now possible, however, to evaluate the work as a whole, and the process is not encouraging. The British Museum, the largest and wealthiest in the world, has managed to afford its clients a long series of well-written, well-illustrated, and, at the same time, popular guides, costing about half-a-crown a copy. While similar cheap, handy and highly educative guides are missing from the bookstall of the National Museum one may be well excused from going into paroxysms of enthusiasm for this weighty monograph, destined for the shelves of the wealthy and for museums across the ocean. However, small States everywhere have a weakness for the grandiose.

Unnecessary Writings

As an entire work it is not well-equilibrated or efficiently organised. In essence, an album of photogravures of the early Christian antiquities in Dublin and elsewhere, it required no other written commentary than the descriptive notes included in Vol. II., and it might well have been spared the burden of controversial and other writings with which it has been weighted, and which, if anything, add little save erroneous or defective generalisations. Argumentative and opinionative writing of the kind evidenced is out of place in a Government publication, where some degree of stability and finality, however limited, are asked for.

For some reason the authors (Dr. Adolf Mahr, Keeper of Irish Antiquities and his Assistant, Dr. J. Raftery) describe themselves as "editors," but of editing there is little evidence. The reviewer (perhaps because he is not a Doctor of Philosophy) spent from ten to fifteen minutes in seeking out the notes to each of three separate illustrations, partly through defects in the index.

One wondered at times in reading whether the "editors" considered what they were writing. Why, for instance, is it premature to attempt a synthesis of Irish Christian art at present when it has already been attempted so frequently and so well? Again, a few casual remarks cast a cloud over one of the staples of Irish archæology, the famous gold hoard from Broighter, near Limavady.

The Chronological Cadre

This find was discussed in the British Parliament and Law Courts, as well as in our local academies and museum, and was the subject of inquiry by police and experts on the spot. Any alternative version of the find produced at this distant date must, in the absence of a full-dress commission on the subject, be regarded by all serious students of the subject as a mischievous piece of prevarication, and its inclusion in a State-issued volume as ill-considered and prejudicial.

It is regrettable also to have to refer to the chronological cadre into which the material is embrigaded in the same discouraging manner. Inadequate grounds are presented for the early dating of the Ardagh Chalice, and probably also for the Tara Brooch, which exhibits a finely-carved jewel in the shape of a human head reminiscent of far later stone carving. The lengthy discussion of the Ardakillen Brooch, a purely atypical phenomenon, and, of the famous enamel-decorated hanging-bowls, is irrelevant, and should be omitted in a work of this kind. Speaking of the Ardagh Chalice, the editors declare that "the date must obviously be bound up with the decorative details," whereas, in speaking of the Clogher Cross, we are informed that "it is axiomatic, that it must be dated by its latest features and not by the interlacing (*i.e.*, the decorative details) on the bosses!" The cruci-perforate plate on the back of this cross clearly shows that the date proposed is at least a century too late. Naïveté could not go further.

Naïveté

Yet it is to be feared that it can. The historian of ecclesiastical art will be intrigued at the suggestion that the tabernacle on the early Irish altar was a highly ornamental affair; but surely such tabernacles as are here referred to did not exist at that date, save as a fabric veil! The same naïveté can be detected in the reference to the cult of relics as authorised by the Church, to be found on Page 50 of Vol. II. When it comes to the question of iconography, an essential consideration in any study of figured ecclesiastical art, the learned editors fail to recognise the figures of Mary and John at the foot of the Cross on the far-famed Domhnach Airgid book-shrine!

Passing to another shrine, made at the behest of a Norman chieftain, the Fiacal Pádraig or Patrick's Tooth, we are informed, in spite of the traditional name and the historical evidence of the cult of such a tooth, that no evidence exists for the existence of such a relic. The very shape of the shrine conforms roughly to the shape of a frontal tooth! Such criticisms could be multiplied from every page. However, one positive addition to our knowledge is made. Some effort has been made to utilise the finds of Irish character from the Scandinavian countries to which the Northern archæologists have given tardy attention. However, as many of these are curiously reminiscent of the influence of leather technique, we may, perhaps, imagine that they were rather produced by local Irish residents, slaves, etc., than that they were brought there as the product of looting expeditions to our shores.

The plates are, on the whole, good; but it is a recognised fact that art metalwork requires a very decisive chiaroscuro if it is to "get across"; it thus happens that the soft technique used fails in many cases completely, while reasonably good as far as purely plastic elements are concerned. There are numerous defects in the text: Conan's Bell, or Bearnán Conaill in the text corresponds to St. Conall's Bell in the plates, and St. Conall finds no place in the index. Knoll is printed for knob on p. 123.

VIATICUM

By ETHNA MacCARTHY

THE sluice gates of sleep are open wide
and through the House its soothing silver tide
from ward to ward flows grave and deep;
now flood, now fretful trickle,
and some it leaves marooned
who cannot sleep.
The nurses chart its course all night
and those who drowse and those who tell their beads
and those who coma vigil keep.
Sunken beyond the lure of light
some watch the shadows with unfocussed eyes,
dull and indifferent, ears attuned
to soundless music of the Boatman's oar
and rhythmic singing of the rowlocks' strain
as the dark ferry swings to shore.
An old old woman and a little child
soon will meet each other there
but who knows what gay roisterer
before the dawn will pay their fare.

The Work of Andrew O'Connor

BY SEAMUS BURKE

HELENE Desmaroux, in her profusely illustrated "L'oeuvre du Sculpteur O'Connor," has left us an impressive record of the achievements of this great man. In the plates reproduced we can see the influence of the perfect taste, judgment and decorative sense of the sculptor himself; and we are reminded of the fact that, as well as being an excellent maker of statues, he had been a pupil of Sargent, and has infused something of the painter's quality into his work.

No gallery can do justice to the creations of such a man, for O'Connor always set out to co-ordinate his work with its surroundings. It is never isolated, but is like a flower emerging from its foliage. Every figure has, like some mighty personality, its own individual aura.

Having accepted the impossibility of re-creating in any mere exhibition the atmosphere with which the sculptor had intended his work to be surrounded, the fullest credit must be given to Mr. Kelly, Curator of the Dublin Municipal Gallery, for the way in which the works have been arranged. It is scarcely an exaggeration to say that nowhere outside the Sistine Chapel can one get such a revealing and comprehensive view in one *locale* of the work of a great artistic genius.

A Great Irishman

If Ireland has lost a priceless gift in the Lane pictures, she has been compensated a thousandfold by the generosity of this great Irishman—for he always considered himself as such and became a citizen of Eire before he died—whose name will far outlast even the greatest of the artists whose masterpieces Lane had intended for Dublin.

Strength and mysticism are his most constant and impressive characteristics, and to this he adds something new in art, the Irish spirit, recapturing, in a certain sense, the atmosphere of the Ardagh Chalice and Cormac's Chapel.

The man's soul was made of such sensitive stuff that his surroundings became a part of him. I have seen him shed tears at a poignant scene in one of O'Casey's plays, and in conversation he referred again and again to the fact that a flower girl had remembered him after a long absence when he came back to Ireland for the last time.

He was acutely conscious of everything happening in the world around him, and his great intelligence, brooding on those experiences, transmuted them into the noble creations he has left behind him. It was O'Connor himself who said: "Intelligence has a limit; one cannot go beyond it." But how often has he not challenged that limit?

A few extracts will suffice to show the high place held by Andrew O'Connor in the estimation of critics in other lands. It is high time that he received full recognition in the home of his ancestors and of his adoption.

Writing in *L'Art* in July, 1906, Paul Leroi, the most eminent writer on art of his day, said :—

> Let us repeat, and with force, that Mr. O'Connor alone deserves the Medal of Honour at this Salon, and as they haven't yet the good sense to abolish medals and ribbands and other toys so dear to the artist's heart, it is surely time, with French courtesy, to throw all these prizes open, regardless of nationality, thinking only of the talent of the artist; but because Mr. O'Connor is a foreigner what has been done? They have deigned to award him a medal of the Second Class for his statue of Lawton. This accomplished work is more than ever, in my humble opinion, the most remarkable work in this Salon.

In *L'Art Decoratif*, May, 1907, Maurice Testard, Professor of *l'Ecole Alsacienne*, wrote :—

> This year O'Connor again stands alone with his noble meditative statue for a tomb which is probably the most beautiful work of sculpture of this Salon, a statue lovingly and patiently conceived in a firm resolution to allow nothing to placate a public that might see otherwise. This sincerity is one of the great qualities of O'Connor, and, truly, beholding the nobility of his works, no one can, I think, regret the intransigence of his nature. He is not malleable. Yet, when he desires, no artist can speak with greater courtesy. His range is extraordinary.

In *Temps*, Paris, 1909, on the occasion of the inauguration of the exhibition of the sculptor's works by the French Secretary of State of the Fine Arts, Thiebault Sisson wrote :—

> This sculptor knows his trade marvellously; the study of form is with him of skill beyond criticism. The flesh in his work is living and breathing with life, and from all points of view he is a sculptor born and an artist of genius.

Royal Cortissoz, the most distinguished American art critic, said of O'Connor in the October (1910) number of *Art and Progress* :—

> Mediocrity cannot disguise itself in plastic art. There you know your trade or perish. There technical proficiency is veritably as the breath of life. The reacher after technique in sculpture is inevitably a reacher after character, after the personal quality which forms, so to say, the very grain and texture of technique. That is the type you find in Andrew O'Connor, one of the younger and most brilliant members of the American school.

One can only refer to a few of the superb inventions given to the world by this great mind during a life filled by work and meditation.

In the genteel officer who represents Lafayette, the sculptor has put all the elegance, the nobility, and even a suggestion of the affectation of the courtier. The face expresses with consummate mastery chivalric courage and generosity.

Never has idealism and intelligence been so nobly expressed as in the superb head of Lincoln. In him is represented the finest type of American, a man symbolising a nation at the height of her power.

Justice

O'Connor has left us four separate ideas of Justice: Human Justice as administered in our law courts, which he symbolised by a monstrous naked man in a helmet, with coarseness and brutality scored on all his heavy features; another conception where Justice was represented not merely as blind, but as headless, and, therefore, without a soul; in Justice of the Nations, erected in the Palace of Peace at The Hague, he envisaged her as a vigorous young woman advancing with steady tread towards a world of beauty and justice. Military Justice he has imagined in almost similar form, but this time the figure is armed with spear and shield.

The Barry Monument includes not only the great statue of the hero, probably the most impressive and suggestive interpretation of a sea-man extant, but on a kind of reredos, flanked on the left by a decorative group called "*Le Songe d'Irlande*," and on the right by "The Exiles," a *bas-relief* representing the hopes of Ireland.

His Daniel O'Connell is the fierce protest of the spirit of Irish freedom raised high above the wail of the exiles and the despairing cry of the famine-stricken.

Another monument to which it is impossible to do justice on scattered pedestals is that called *Le Debarquement*. It commemorates the return of a fallen hero to his native soil.

The broken body which constitutes the central theme of this monument—one of the most pitiful ever conceived—is intended to represent not merely the unknown soldier, but also the Dead Christ taken down from the Cross—the symbol of all those who lay down their lives for what they loved and believed.

The stark tragedy surrounding this forlorn figure was to have been relieved by the quaint little image of *La Vièrge*, who faces the future calm, yet wondering.

At one side of the monument was to be placed the hero's spouse, *La Femme*, kneeling, she prays to God for his repose. It is a figure full of love and devotion.

The Sublime

One of the world's most awe inspiring creations is *La Mère*, a figure made to endure for all time. Here is the eternal mother, crushed in body and soul by the death of her son, the mother of the victims of the horrors of war.

It is in dealing with the sublime, where all but the greatest fail, that O'Connor is most successful. The Ascension on the Door of the Church of St. Bartholomew, New York, ranks with the greatest conceptions of Italian art.

We come to his last work, a portrait of himself, as he saw himself when the shades of night were closing in upon him at Glencullen, a cross between a punch drunk pugilist and a tousled clown. At first we think that the artist has descended to the meaningless extravaganza of Epstein—"*pour épater les bourgeois*"—but look again and those who knew him well can recognise the ardent, if temporarily baffled spirit of this great man, this great friend, and one thinks of his last words: "Life is only a nasty joke," and goes one's way.

Note—The exhibition of a collection of sculptured pieces executed and presented by the late Andrew O'Connor will be opened in the Municipal Gallery of Modern Art on Monday next, 13th April.

Studies

Studies. Vol. XXXI. No. 121. March, 1942. Educational Company of Ireland, Ltd. 3/6 net.

IN the over-commercial age, which now seems to be coming to an end, few publishers rated books on artists as possible best sellers, and books on Irish artists particularly were seldom seen—incredible as it may seem no adequate book on that great sculptor and great Irishman, John Hogan, who died nearly ninety years ago, has yet appeared.

Another distinguished artist and Irishman, Michael Healy, the stained-glass painter, died last September, but it is hardly to be expected that events will move last enough to make it likely that a publisher will call on any of those who knew him personally to write the book on his life and work that ought to be written. It is some consolation, therefore, that this issue of *Studies* includes an admirable and, as far as a magazine article permits, exhaustive essay on Healy by his friend, Mr. C. P. Curran. Dealing not only with the artist, but also with the Irish stained-glass revival, of which Healy was a pioneer, this article is of considerable importance for the history of modern Irish art that, one day, will have to be written.

Professor George O'Brien writes on "The Irish Central Bank Bill," and, to a layman at least, makes it seem as though the next alternative to the bankers' free-for-all which is popularly believed to have helped to land one group of the Great Powers in war is to be something like the "State" system which is popularly believed to have helped to land a second group of the Great Powers in war. Poor world! Professor T. W. Moody, F.T.C.D., has a splendidly stirring second article on "Michael Davitt in Penal Servitude," and Mr. Seamus O Duilearga writes sympathetically of Irish folklore in general and some of his story-telling friends of the Gaeltacht in particular. Father Hugh Kelly's "G. K. Chesterton: His Philosophy of Life" is in the nature of a tribute to one who on occasion was something more than the Macaulay of modern English Catholicism; and Father Aubrey Gwynn has an admirably presented account of "Gormanston Castle in Irish History."

Other excellent contributions come from Father George O'Neill, Father Lambert McKenna and Dr. Richard Hayes; and, as always in "Studies," the book reviews are a valuable feature.

T. McG.

Report on France (by Thomas Kernan) is the story of France, not, like most others, of the fall, but of France after the 1940 armistice. The author is an American, who has been living in Paris since the German occupation, and his observations should interest most students of history and international affairs. The most interesting feature of the book is the Appendix, where the original German Proclamations and Orders to the French people are reproduced in translation. (*The Bodley Head*, 10/6 net.)

A Diary of Disaster

By Patrick Kavanagh

"Plague Year." By Anthony Weymouth. Harrap. 10/6 net.

THE plague year of this diary is March, 1940-February, 1941, and the place is London. This is a good diary, with all the silliness and tragi-comedy that appears in the expression of a mood when seen in perspective. The temptation to correct a diary must be very great. Mr. Weymouth may have done it, but there are no signs of such corrections, and so we have the naïveté of the plain, blunt Englishman, who in his own dull way has a hero quality—he cannot imagine himself being licked.

"Plague Year" is a useful document, for Mr. Weymouth was a high official of the B.B.C., and was intimately in touch with events. It is also a funny book, in an ironic haw-haw way, and—unless the English have a greater facility for laughing at themselves than we give them credit for—it cannot be called good British propaganda. The lack of information in what should be informed British circles regarding the strength of their opponents, and the wildness and innocence of their guesses as to his next moves, is extraordinary. My own idea is that the British Intelligence was only Civil Service intelligence—something passed from office to office—while the Germans' was personal. The Civil Service machine is no good at the job of running a war; it looks wise, but knows nothing.

Extracts

Here is a selection from Weymouth's diary. Laugh or cry, according to your political outlook.

Wed., March 6, 1940: My American journalist *did* suggest *sotto voce*, that if America declared war on Germany and then sat down and did exactly nothing the war would be over in six months.

Tues., Ap. 9: After a hurried dinner we sat down at 8.30 to make a discussion on the war in Norway. . . . It seems to me that by this latest act of aggression Hitler has thrown out a kind of salient—now or at some future date—very vulnerable to our naval and air forces. After all, before he invaded Norway his Greater Reich was compact, and immune to attack, except by our air force, unless we crashed through the Siegfried Line, and this was too expensive a venture for the Allies to contemplate. Now he has given us a front to attack where we can use the strongest navy in the world.

Friday, June 14: I rang up Noel Coward's secretary to find out when he was returning to London. It seemed to me that as he had just been to the United States he would be the right man to give a talk in the Empire Programme. . . In reply to my question as to whether he could find time to give a talk in the near future, she said that he was a very electric person, and that she would have to choose her moment to pass on the request.

Reader, if you didn't laugh at this last entry you have no sense of humour. . . Further entry same day. Paris fell to-day.

Friday, June 21: An hour spent with G.B.S. acted on me like a cocktail. I had motored down to Ayot St. Lawrence along the wide Great North Road. . . Sitting between G.B.S. and Mrs. Shaw, in the room which looks across the rolling green fields, we discussed possible subjects for a talk, and this, in fact, led us to a survey of the world situation. Shaw said that months ago he had foreseen the possibility of the Germans landing in Ireland. "I suppose we should then have to land troops in Eire, whether the Irish wished it or not. . . we may yet see ourselves sending a force to Ireland to fight the Germans. . ." Shaw tells me that he is a "much hated man." We don't like people who have been right long before we ourselves have even seen the point.

G.B.S. wasn't right that time in any case. The delightful thing about Shaw is that he is nearly always wrong. I know it is unfair to an author to pick so much out of his book, but as this is a diary the only way to give an idea of its merits is by quotation. So here is a further extract.

Vox Populi

Thursday, August 29: This evening in "Britain Speaks" J. B. Priestley introduced Robert Donat. I wonder why actors are so nervous at the microphone? There was an air raid on at the time and Priestley, Donat and I had to decend to the security studio. Donat took off his coat, undid his tie, opened his shirt-neck, emptied his pockets and finally slipped his braces over his shoulders. Donat told an amusing story at the beginning of his talk. He was describing a recent theatrical tour and said that he had gone out with other members of his company from Leeds to Ilkey. While he was waiting in a queue the 'bus drew up, but meanwhile he had fallen into a day dream. He was roused by the voice of an elderly Yorkshireman, "Oory oop, lad make up tha mind. Get in or oot, oot or in."

Donat did as he was told, but even after he was in the 'bus the elderly Yorkshireman continued his reproaches. Somebody in the 'bus told him to "shut up," adding:

"Don't you know who it is you're talking about? Its Robert Donat."

"I don't mind, lad, 'oo it is. These days one's got to mix with all sorts."

Now that's a funny story—and the funniest part is that Donat himself takes for granted the superiority of the actor over the farmer. A vulgar American importation. "Plague Year" brings us through the worst nights of the "*blitz*" and with contemporary vividness. But the most amusing thing about the diary is its recapture of the mood and the sayings of the popular English Press, which in its inglorious codology, is passed off as Vox Populi.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED

A Tale of Ten Cities. By George Sava. London: Faber and Faber. 8/6 net.

From The Ends Of The Earth. By Mary Trevelyan. London: Faber and Faber. 7/6 net.

Sweethearts and Wives. By Theodora. London: Faber and Faber. 5/- net.

Patricia's Seven Houses and School for Slavery. By Lajor Biro. London: Faber and Faber. 8/6 net. (Two Plays.)

Invitation and Warning. By Henry Treece. London: Faber and Faber. 6/- net.

High Conquest. By James Ramsey Ullman. London: Gollancz. 16/- net.

My Life in a Man-made Jungle. By Velle J. Benchley. London: Faber and Faber. 12/6 net.

Philharmonic. By Thomas Russell. London: Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

The Winning of the Peace. by Heinrich Fraenkel and Sir Richard Acland, M.P. London: Gollancz. 3/6 net.

Soviet Labour and Industry. By L. E. Hubbard. London: Macmillan. 15/- net.

While London Burns. By F. Tennyson Jesse and H. M. Harwood. London: Constable. 12/- net.

Unexpected. By Lt.-General Sir Douglas Brownrigg. London: Hutchinson. 12/- net.

CRUISKEEN LAWN

By MYLES NA gCOPALEEN

"FICHE bliain i 'Faughs,'" mar dubhairt an sean-lad nuair chuir sé a chamán ar leathtaoibh taréis dhó tréimhse mhór dá shaol do thabhairt le h-iománaíocht.

Ceann gacha mná a fear. Agus fear gacha mná a *kin*.

Is treise *Duce* ná oiliúnt. Is fearr scoil ná máighistir; agus is fearr scoil ná *moist hair*. Súil le cúitiú mhilleas an cearrbhach; agus súil le *cutie*, freisin.

SLANABHAILE: *Nee'l ayn vwahas i raumaysh mar soh, kunahayv nock mbeeun ashcheh braw Gayluck agut?*

MISE: Cuir i gcás——?

SLANABHAILE: *O, "Law fay'n dTooa," noo "Pawric Sawrshayl, a Hayl ogus a Hehir er sunn na hErin," noo "Kiuka iss far lum, an Cahir noo an Tooa."*

MISE: Beidh na h-adhbhair inspéise sin fá seach á bpléidhe agam annso Dia Mairt, Diardaoin agus Dia Sathairn an tseachtain seo chugainn.

SLANABHAILE: *An mbeg?*

MISE: Beidh.

SLANABHAILE: *Mahafar, guramahagut.*

ANALLOD

Nuair bhíos óg agus lom-dairíribh i dtaobh na Gaedhilge, chaitheas seal i dTír Chonaill mar timthire le Connradh na Gaedhilge, ag gluaiseacht timpeall na tíre ar rothar agus ag iarraidh na daoine a spreagadh agus a mhisniú chun aithbheóchana na séimhghaoidhilice agus gach gnás eile atá againn go sinnseardha. Bhí an obair deacair agus ní buidheachas a fuair mé i dtólamh ó na daoine—ar uairibh, ar chaoi ar bith—acht caol-cháineadh agus dí-mholadh seang buidhe searbh,

WELCOME TO LESLIE HOWARD!

Good man, Leslie, you're O.K.

—Yours, Myles.

comh maith le gach aicíd agus galar atá le fáil sa cheirn doineannta sin. Bhí timthire eile darb ainm Peader ag obair i gcuideachtain liom agus is iomdha uair a rinneamar comhbhrón le chéile mar gheall ar an gcinneamhain a sheol sinn araón go Connradh na Gaedhilge. Acht ní raibh ár saothar ar fad gan tairbhe. Chuir mise craobh ar bun i Leitir Ceanainn agus maireann sí go fóill ann. Creidim gurbé an Giúistís Breathnach atá 'na uachtarán uirthi san am i láthair. Croabh eile a bhunuigh Peadar ar an Fhál Charrach, tá sí fá réim go bríoghmhar go dtí an lá so. Nuair fuair Peadar bás (timpeall 1907) thug mise dileagra breágh molta uaim lá an tórraimh. "Maireann an chraobh ar an bhFál, ach ní mhaireann an lámh do chur"—sin abairtín glic amháin a leigeas asam, is cuimhin liom. Bhí an nós salach so agam an uair sin féin. Bhí.

LEITHSCEAL

Uaireannta scríobhaim síos nótaí beaga fánacha agus nuair thagaim ortha taréis roinnt ama bheith imighthe, ní bhíonn a fhios agam an rabhadar i gcló annso agam. Agus creid go h-onórach mé nuair deirim nach bhfuil aon rún agam dul ag cuartú imease na sean bpáipéirí leis an eolas sin do bhaint amach. Exempli gratia bhí líne agam tamall maith oshoin ar abairtí atá ar aon dul le "aos dána," "aos ceóil," etc. Seo thíos cupla ceann eile.

Aos oifigeas: oesophagus, bureaucrats.

Aos teiteach: esthetics, editors and other refusers.

Aos ceileas: drawmatists, magpies and other secretive parties.

Aos o aos: rescue parties, sos men.

Má bhí na seoda sin agam cheana, maith domh. Acht ní dóigh liom go raibh. Creidim gur chuireas ar leathtaoibh iad ar a shon go rabhadar ró-dhona.

Schizophreniac, is é mo thuairm, dob eadh Tadhg a' Dá Thaobh. An aontuigheann tú liom?

UNUSUAL CHARGE

SHOUTED "HALT!" TO MILITARY PATROL

John Regan, Dublin road, Bray, and John Carty, Esmonde terrace, Bray, were, at Bray District Court yesterday bound to the peace for being guilty of conduct calculated to provoke a breach of the peace, when, at Main street, Bray, on March 29, at 12.30 a.m., they shouted "Halt!" as an armed military patrol of the Defence Forces was cycling, and thereby misled the patrol.

District Justice Price asked would it have been within the instructions of the patrol to have fired upon people who interfered with them.

A N.C.O. said that it depended upon the corporal. It would have been within his right to fire upon those who interfered.

Superintendent Cronin said that the patrol did in fact, halt.

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Preliminary.—J. M. Beasley, E. K. Beglan, Anne Boushel, D. S. T. Breen, D. J. Carey, M. P. R. Conlon, M. P. Cormack, G. Creamer, T. H. K. Deacon, Sheila M. Doolin, F. G. Fennell, T. Grant, J. F. Hebir, P. T. L. Higgins, J. A. Logan, Audrey V. MacDaniel, Ida C. McFall, D. McGonigle, Eileen B. McGrath, A. D. McLaughlin, Elizabeth B. McLister, I. M. O'Brien, D. J. O'Connell, Clodagh M. O'Dwyer, Eileen M. Parker, R. A. Power, K. J. Quinn, Maire R. Robinson, I. Rosenthal, J. S. Wilkie, P. H. J. Woodnutt.

Biology.—1st Class Honours—D. G. Misstear. 2nd Class Honours—J. O. Blair, D. P. Harris, M. Loftus, P. J. Rogan.

Pass—J. G. Bailie, C. A. Cusack, Elizabeth M. Farrell, G. Fitzpatrick, J. A. J. B. Gleeson, S. Gordon, Eileen M. K. Irwin, P. T. K. Liston, P. J. Lord, D. J. F. Moore, J. J. Murray, P. K. McAviney, M. McGrath, T. B. McManus, P. A. O'Callaghan, B. J. McShane, E. J. O'Connor, S. L. Pugmire, Moira Quinn, W. A. Ryan, Kathleen N. Walsh.

First Professional, Applied Chemistry.—1st Class Honours—B. S. H. Alford, T. G. Behan, T. Lynch, D. G. Misstear, E. A. McVerry, F. J. O'Hagan, Josephine M. M. O'Regan, S. L. Pugmire. 2nd Class Honours—W. D. Brophy, F. P. Campbell, J. M. Campbell, D. R. Coghlan, P. C. Gallagher, Anne Hannigan, D. F. Mahon, O. O. Makanjuola, T. J. Molony, P. K. Murphy, M. F. McParland, E. Ordman, J. B. Prendiville, B. H. Willcock.

Pass—J. P. Bannan, J. G. Bailie, J. G. Campbell, J. A. J. B. Gleeson, J. D. Glynn, S. Gordon, D. M. Grainger, J. E. Hanna, D. P. Harris, C. K. Heffernan, T. N. Hurley, J. M. K. Igoe, Annie S. Kenna, E. J. Lavelle, J. Lazarus, M. Loftus, P. J. Lord, T. J. Lydon, G. E. Manley, J. A. Martin, D. J. F. Moore, Margaret M. Murphy, J. J. Murray, J. McAuliffe, M. McGrath, T. J. McGuirk, J. J. MacInerney, A. B. McMcLoughlin, N. M. McNelis, E. J. M. O'Connor, J. P. O'Connor, J. F. O'Meara, R. W. Poole, P. J. Rogan, I. Ryan, E. Sheehan, J. J. Twomey, R. P. Vass.

Anatomy and Physiology.—1st Class Honours in Anatomy—D. V. Kneafsey. 1st Class Honours in Physiology—R. F. Hobson, D. V. Kneafsey. 2nd Class Honours in Anatomy—E. C. Boursin, A. W. Goldberg, F. R. Hobson, P. D. J. Holland, C. W. Thornhill. 2nd Class Honours in Physiology—Frances J. Briscoe, P. D. J. Holland, D. C. O'Connor, C. W. Thornhill.

Pass—Kathleen Barnes, M. Beasley, J. J. Brennan, W. J. Bushe, R. J. Coogan, J. K. Doherty, J. F. deVere Dudgeon, Elizabeth L. FitzPatrick, J. D. Gaffney, P. J. S. Kelly, H. P. Kilsby, Mary Leahy, L. Marks, M. Miller, N. G. Monaghan, S. B. McDonogh, Florence G. O'Brien, J. Vilensky, W. G. Wimsett, Michael Casey (anatomy only).

Second Professional, Ophthalmology.—1st Class Honours—S. F. B. Cullen, T. C. Jackson, S. Rogol. 2nd Class Honours—F. R. Chambers, J. C. Gibson, J. L. I. Mangan, F. E. Pollock.

Pass—J. C. Bowman, H. Chesney, G. L. Fine, P. J. Fitzgerald, L. A. Foley, J. S. Fortune, C. V. B. Gillooly, J. M. Grey, J. Hesselberg, J. P. Kelly, M. P. Kenny, E. S. Lintor, D. J. Madden, C. Molony, A. D. Moore, S. M. Murphy, W. A. Murray, T. J. McMahon, H. H. O'Connell, J. B. O'Connor, D. M. O'Hanlon, J. O'Hanlon, E. O'Neill, R. Stewart, Margaret Tannam, C. J. O. Taylor, M. A. Tobin, M. P. D. Waldron.

Materia Medica.—2nd Class Honours—J. Davis, C. J. O. Taylor.

Pass—M. E. Arnold, H. M. Freedman, D. C. S. McAlister, J. McGrath, R. J. McLaughlin, G. V. Reddin, J. J. P. Walsh.

Pathology.—Pass—J. B. Donnelly, N. S. Galvin, J. S. Fortune, T. C. Jackson, B. P. Martin, J. M. Whelehan.

Final Professional, Medicine.—1st Class Honours—H. M. MacCarthy. 2nd Class Honours—Helen C. O'D. Davis.

Pass—K. H. Alexander, B. C. Cosgrove, A. M. Gregory, P. S. Kenny, H. P. Lappin, Maeve Maguire, A. J. MacDonald, J. B. McMahon, Marie Norton, W. J. O'Hagan, Josefa Stein, W. A. H. Tinsley.

Surgery—2nd Class Honours—P. J. Mathews, J. J. Ryan.

Pass—P. M. Bramble, J. J. Butler, M. D. Cahill, W. B. Casey, M. J. Farrell, E. Farrelly, H. A. Galligan, L. Leader, J. M. Magnier, R. Martin, Alice P. McCarthy, M. A. P. McGrath, W. J. O'Hagan, T. H. Simmons.

Midwifery.—2nd Class Honours—S. P. B. Cullen, J. L. I. Mangan.

Pass—J. C. Bowman, E. S. Linton, C. W. P. Magahy, W. A. Murray, W. McNamee, P. D. O'Brien.

Diploma in Child Health.—Dr. P. J. Crowley, Dr. M. A. Majekodunmi.

Diploma in Ophthalmic Medicine and Surgery (Part I.).—Dr. M. E. Cooke, Dr. L. Finegan, Dr. P. M. Guinan, Dr. D. B. Sullivan.

Diploma in Psychological Medicine (Part I.).—Dr. Mary C. Lydon, Dr. P. P. Mallie, Dr. M. F. Mulligan.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND.

First Dental, Applied Chemistry.—2nd Class Honours—R. Y. Black.

Pass—J. O. Blair, F. R. Gill, S. J. Lundie.

Anatomy and Physiology.—1st Class Honours in Anatomy—L. D. Dunn, S. J. D. Preston. 2nd Class Honours in Anatomy—C. A. Sargent.

Primary Fellowship.—R. E. Fenelon, H. R. Hanna, W. E. Powell, E. G. Staunton.

Final Fellowship.—Dr. F. F. McKee.

MILITARY SERGEANT CHARGED

Sergeant Patrick Gaynor, of the Defence Forces, was, at the Bray District Court yesterday, sentenced to 14 days' imprisonment, sentence to be suspended on his undertaking to pay £2, for having been drunk and disorderly and assaulting Guard Muldoon at Bray on April 1.

DAMAGE IN HOTEL

At Bray District Court yesterday Thomas Bailey, Faversham road, Kennington, Ashford, Kent, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment on each of two charges sentences to run concurrently, for having been drunk and disorderly and having damaged the door of the Royal Hotel, Bray, on Tuesday night last. Notice of appeal was given.

CHARGE AGAINST CORK MAN

The Special Criminal Court, sitting at Collins Barracks, Dublin, yesterday, fixed 24th of this month as the date for the trial of John Harinett, junior, Carrigtwohill, County Cork who is charged with having refused to give a Civic Guard a full account of his actions and movements during a specified period.

Mr. J. A. Geary, solicitor (Chief State Solicitor's Office) prosecuted.

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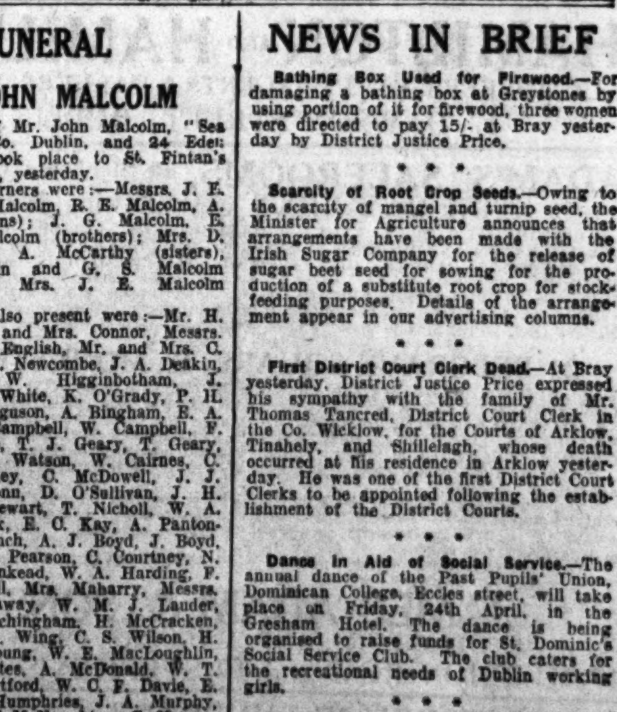

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FUNERAL

MR. JOHN MALCOLM

The funeral of Mr. John Malcolm, "Sea Side," Sutton, Co. Dublin, and 24 Eden quay, Dublin, took place to St. Fintan's Cemetery, Sutton, yesterday.

The chief mourners were:—Messrs. J. F. Malcolm, J. G. Malcolm, R. E. Malcolm, A. F. Malcolm (sons); J. G. Malcolm, E. Malcolm, A. Malcolm (brothers); Mrs. D. Quin and Mrs. A. McCarthy (sisters), Messrs. G. Quin and G. S. Malcolm (nephews), and Mrs. J. E. Malcolm (daughter-in-law).

Among those also present were:—Mr. H. J. Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. Connor, Messrs. E. Shepherd, E. English, Mr. and Mrs. C. Moran, Messrs. W. Newcombe, J. A. Deakin, A. Rutledge, W. Higginbotham, J. McKinley, J. T. White, K. O'Grady, P. H. Harwood, W. Ferguson, A. Bingham, E. A. Lawler, W. H. Campbell, W. Campbell, F. J. Newton Moore, T. J. Geary, T. Geary, J. Hehir, R. G. Watson, W. Cairnes, C. Gibney, B. Gibney, C. McDowell, J. J. McDowell, N. Conn, D. O'Sullivan, J. H. White, E. M. Stewart, T. Nicholl, W. A. Lamb, W. Pollock, E. C. Kay, A. Panton-Watkinson, J. Finch, A. J. Boyd, J. Boyd, T. R. Jackson, J. Pearson, C. Courtney, N. P. Russell, D. Kinkead, W. A. Harding, F. Luger, T. F. Gill, Mrs. Maharry, Messrs. G. F. D. Greenaway, W. M. J. Lauder, W. Lacey, F. Etchingham, H. McCracken, W. Bullick, L. H. Wing, C. S. Wilson, H. Potter, H. W. Young, W. E. MacLoughlin, J. Mason, R. Oates, A. McDonald, W. T. Chadwick, A. Hartford, W. C. F. Davie, E. C. Houston, W. Humphries, J. A. Murphy, C. O'Donoghue, J. S. McNaughton, C. Merrey, P. Byrne, S. O'Grady, N. Martin, E. H. Kerr, J. B. Spencer, jun., W. J. Spencer, H. Rennix, F. J. Poole, T. Walsh, J. O'Hay.

The employés of Messrs. J. G. Malcolm and Co., Ltd., were represented by Messrs. V. Furley, J. Tully, J. Glynn, J. Byrne, T. Mates, C. Byrne, G. Byrne, G. Brady, A. Brown and P. Barrett.

The Service at the graveside was conducted by the Rev. H. J. L. Armstrong, of Howth.

Thread and Yarn Duties Suspended.—The Government have made an Order suspending from 11th April to the 10th October the duties on cobblers' hemp, linen and cotton thread and linen and cotton ply yarn.

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Handel Bi-centenary.—The Old Dublin Society, to commemorate the bi-centenary of Handel, have arranged a special programme of papers for Monday next at the Assembly Rooms, South William street, at 7.45 p.m.—"Handel's 'Messiah,' 13th April, 1742," by Mrs. A. M. Fraser, L.L.C.M., Vice-president; and "Dublin of Handel's Day," by Mr. K. Murray.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Bathing Box Used for Firewood.—For damaging a bathing box at Greystones by using portion of it for firewood, three women were directed to pay 15/- at Bray yesterday by District Justice Price.

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Scarcity of Root Crop Seeds.—Owing to the scarcity of mangel and turnip seed, the Minister for Agriculture announces that arrangements have been made with the Irish Sugar Company for the release of sugar beet seed for sowing for the production of a substitute root crop for stock-feeding purposes. Details of the arrangement appear in our advertising columns.

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First District Court Clerk Dead.—At Bray yesterday, District Justice Price expressed his sympathy with the family of Mr. Thomas Tancred, District Court Clerk in the Co. Wicklow, for the Courts of Arklow, Tinahely, and Shillelagh, whose death occurred at his residence in Arklow yesterday. He was one of the first District Court Clerks to be appointed following the establishment of the District Courts.

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Dance in Aid of Social Service.—The annual dance of the Past Pupils' Union, Dominican College, Eccles street, will take place on Friday, 24th April, in the Gresham Hotel. The dance is being organised to raise funds for St. Dominic's Social Service Club. The club caters for the recreational needs of Dublin working girls.

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Short Weight in Coal.—For having delivered coal short of the correct weight; having in his possession an unjust scale and two unjust weights, and for failing to register as a coal vendor, John Rooney, 12 Cork street, Dublin, was fined £15 by District Justice Lennon in Dublin yesterday. It was stated that a bag of coal which was represented to be 10st. weight was 2st. 9lb. short of that weight.

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Charge Against Rent Collector.—At Kilmainham yesterday, when James A. Jackson, "Desmond," Foxrock, former rent collector to the Dublin Board of Health, was charged with the embezzlement of £73 5s. 10d., Superintendent Hynes stated that the Law Officers took a serious view of the case and he asked that a date be fixed for the taking of depositions. Mr. W. Boyle Fawsitt, solicitor, who defended, said that his client was very much prejudiced by the attitude that be adopted in assuming that the Attorney-General was not going to intervene. He had paid back some of the money. District Justice Reddin adjourned the case to April 15 at Kilmainham.

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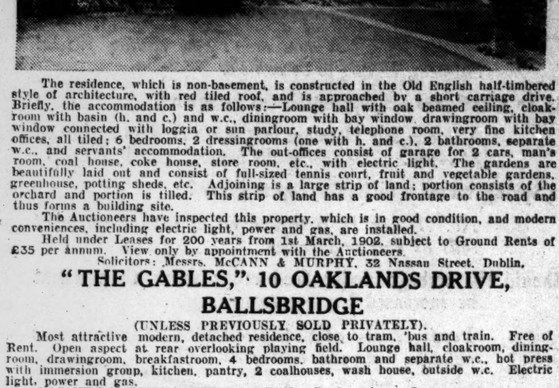

The residence, which is non-basement, is constructed in the Old English half-timbered style of architecture, with red tiled roof, and is approached by a short carriage drive. Briefly, the accommodation is as follows:—Lounge hall with oak beamed ceiling, cloakroom with basin (h. and c.) and w.c., diningroom with bay window, drawingroom with bay window connected with loggia or sun parlour, study, telephone room, very fine kitchen offices, all tiled; 6 bedrooms, 2 dressingrooms (one with h. and c.), 2 bathrooms, separate w.c., and servants' accommodation. The out-offices consist of garage for 2 cars, man's room, coal house, coke house, store room, etc., with electric light. The gardens are beautifully laid out and consist of full-sized tennis court, fruit and vegetable gardens, greenhouse, potting sheds, etc. Adjoining is a large strip of land; portion consists of the orchard and portion is tilled. This strip of land has a good frontage to the road and thus forms a building site.

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AUCTION SALE OF A LARGE COLLECTION OF ANTIQUE CHIPPENDALE, SHERATON AND MODERN FURNITURE; BOUDOIR GRAND PIANO, PIANOLA, GRAMOPHONES, CARPETS, OIL PAINTINGS, WATER-COLOURS, BOOKS, CLOCKS, MIRRORS, PLATED WARE, CHINA, GLASS, ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND FITTINGS, TYPEWRITERS, BICYCLES and miscellaneous other HOUSEHOLD and PERSONAL EFFECTS. To be sold for McKENNA, dec'd, and other accounts. On View Monday next, 10 till 5. Sale Tuesday next, 14th inst., and following day at 12 o'c. prompt

21 BELGRAVE SQUARE, E., MONKSTOWN.

WELL-BUILT SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE, CONVERTED INTO 3 GOOD FLATS, CONVENIENT TO TRAIN AND TRAM SERVICES. VACANT POSSESSION OF ENTIRE.

JAMES ADAM & SONS are instructed to offer the Leasehold Interest for SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION at their ESTATE SALEROOMS, 17 MERRION ROW, on MONDAY, 27th APRIL, at 2.30 o'c. prompt (unless previously disposed of).

Tenure: Held under lease for a term of 899 years from 1861, subject to £8 per annum. P.L.V. £45.

Accommodation: Each of the 3 flats, which are completely separated from each other, contains approximately 3 rooms, kitchenette and bathroom. A considerable sum was spent on conversion, and the property is now in very good condition. There is electric light and gas. Also side entrance.

For Conditions of Sale apply to NATHANIEL TAYLOR, Solicitor, 23 Stephen's Green, North; or to

JAMES ADAM & SONS

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

POWERSTOWN, MULHUDDART, CO. DUBLIN.

WE have received instructions from Patrick Cooper, Esq., to
SELL BY AUCTION,
IN OUR SALEROOMS, 18-20 USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN,
AT 3 O'CLOCK, ON
FRIDAY, 24th APRIL, 1942,

The above Holding, comprising a two-storey slated House, in moderate repair, with 2 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, etc., together with 155 acres 2 roods 33 perches, Statute measure, or thereabouts, prime quality land, we watered and fenced. Poor Law Valuation on the Lands is £212 12s. 0d., and on the Buildings is £8 18s. 0d. Annuity is about £80 10s. 0d. Rates about £165 0s. 0d.

There is a good hay shed (100 tons), a loose cattle shed and stabling for 8 horses and a small yard. There is a herd's house on the land. The Farm is situate about 7 miles from Dublin and 2 miles from Clonee and Mulhuddart. 5 Acres are under Tillage.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale on application to:
Messrs. VINCENT & BEATTY, Solicitors, 62 Dame Street, Dublin; or

GANLY & SONS, M.I.A.A.,

Auctioneers, Livestock Salesmen and Wool Brokers,
18-20 USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

"BATTERSBY'S AUCTIONS"

HOUSE AND FURNITURE,
FRIDAY NEXT, 17th APRIL, 12 o'c.,
1 CARLISLE TERRACE, MALAHIDE,
ANTIQUE FURNITURE, BOOKS, CHINA.

Comprising briefly as follows:—"Marconi" Electric Radio in Walnut Case, Antique Mahogany Secretaire, Inlaid Mahogany Bookcase Top, Mahogany Pier Cabinet and Bookcase, quantity of Books, Antique Mahogany 4-Tier Waiter, do. Window Table, Mahogany Small Sideboards, 6 do. Chairs, do. Screw Dining Table (small), Ornamental China (Ironstone, Oriental, etc.), Table Glass and China (including Dinner Services, Tea and Breakfast Sets, etc.), Plated Ware and Cutlery, "Morland" Engravings, Needlework Pictures, Chinese Prints (Silk and Rice Paper), Mahogany Hallstand, 2 do. Chairs, Rosewood Case Barometer, Axminster Carpets and Stair Carpeting, Linoleum, Mahogany and White Enamel Bedroom Furniture, Beds and Bedding, "Slinger" Hand Sewing Machine, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Mangle, "Gem" Carpet Cleaner, "Valor-Perfection" 2-Lamp Oil Cooker, etc.

On View day previous, 10 to 5 o'c. Terms: Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

N.B.—THE INTEREST IN THE LEASE OF THIS HOUSE IS FOR SALE, and offers will be received prior to the Sale of the Furniture. Lease is for 120 years from 1921 at £50 per annum. P.L.V. £26. Residence is semi-detached, double-fronted, non-basement; 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, bath, kitchen. Electric. Large garden.

THURSDAY, 23rd APRIL, at 2.30 p.m.,
AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND ST.
(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

VERY ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT PROPERTY, £405 16s. 4d. YEARLY (GROSS), OUT OF BUSINESS AND RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY.

Lot.	Property.	Let at	Ground Rent.	P.L. Valuation.
1	128 Leeson St., Upper—Shop and Residence	£53 9 10 and rates	£2 10 0	£19 0 0
2	129 Leeson St., Upper—Shop and Residence.	£77 5 8 inclusive.	£2 10 0	£24 0 0
3	133 Leeson St., Upper—Shop, modern front; Residence, and Slaughterhouse.	£105 0 0 and rates.	£12 0 0	£50 0 0
4	7 to 11 Sussex Terrace, Upper Leeson St. — Five compact Houses.	£169 10 10 inclusive.	£10 0 0	£54 10 0

The property is held for 450 years from 1840, and will be sold subject to the above apportioned rents.

Inspected and recommended by the Auctioneers.

MICHAEL J. BOWERS & CO., Solicitors, 24 Dame St.

63, 65 & 67 MOREHAMPTON RD., DONNYBROOK.

FINE CORNER BLOCK. IN 1, 2 OR 3 LOTS.

THREE SPLENDID HOUSES. VACANT POSSESSION. Suitable for profitable development as Flats or Cinema.

NOS. 63 AND 65 each contain 2 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, bath, kitchen, etc. Electric and gas. Good gardens, with space for garage.

No. 67 is semi-detached, in good decorative order. 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, bath, kitchen, etc. Electric and gas. Garden, side entrance, large shed.

The three houses are held for 999 years from 1867, subject to £14 per an. P.L.V. £28 each. (If sold in more than one lot the £14 rent will be apportioned.)

Keys at Furlong's Tobacconist, No. 75a Morehampton Road.

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MICHAEL J. BOWERS & CO., Solicitors, 24 Dame St.

B. & Co. **5 & 7 UPR. RUTLAND ST.** 30th April

REGISTERED DAIRY PREMISES, with sheds for 30 cattle; also comfortable residence and a house let to tenants.

H. J. W. DOWNEY, LL.D., Solicitor, 118 Grafton St.

3 GRANBY ROW, PARNELL SQUARE.

FINE CITY HOUSE. VACANT POSSESSION.

GORE & GRIMES, Solicitors, 6 Cavendish Row.

"WHALEY ABBEY," RATHDRUM, Co. Wicklow.

ATTRACTIVE NON-BASEMENT RESIDENCE AND 187 ACRES (Stat.).

E. J. H. HOPKINS, Solicitor, WICKLOW.

BATTERSBY & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A., F.A.I.,
39 WESTMORELAND ST., DUBLIN.
ESTABLISHED IN THE YEAR 1815.

GARVEY & GOOD'S SALES.

"NENDRUM," KNOCKSINNA ROAD, FOXROCK

HOUSE AND FURNITURE.

WE have been instructed to sell the above BY PUBLIC AUCTION in our SALEROOMS on THURSDAY, 23rd APRIL, at 2.30 p.m., and THE FURNITURE on the following MONDAY, 27th INST.

"Nendrum" is an exceptionally attractive detached, modern house, situate off the Stillorgan Road. It has a sunny aspect and commands an uninterrupted view of the Dublin Mts. across Foxrock Golf Links.

The accommodation comprises 2 reception rooms, terrazzo floored, kitchen and pantries with fitted presses, 4 bedrooms (built-in wardrobes), bathroom, separate w.c., etc. The house has been decorated regardless of cost, and is fitted throughout with all modern conveniences, including h. and c. in principal bedroom, elec. h., gas, etc.

Large well-laid-out garden with green-house, garage and other out-offices.

Lease 750 yrs. G. Rent £20 p.a. P.L.V. £34 15s. 0d.

SEEN ANY AFTERNOON OR EVENING, INCLUDING SUNDAYS.

Solicitors: Messrs. JOHN B. HAMILL & CO., Earl St., Dundalk.

FURNITURE.

AN AUCTION of the ENTIRE FURNISHINGS of the above residence will be held at "NENDRUM" on MONDAY, 27th APRIL, commencing 1.30 p.m.

The greater part of the Furniture is modern and of the finest quality, and includes, among other pieces:—

Carved Figured-mahogany Oval-ended Table (3 leaves), 12 Mhg. Upholstered Dining Chairs, Bow-fronted Mhg. Sideboard, Hicks Carved Hall Table, Sheraton Bureau, Three-piece Chesterfield Suite, Occasional Chairs and Tables, Nest of Tables, Figured Display Bookcase;

BLUTHNER BABY GRAND PIANO, IN PERFECT CONDITION;

Bedroom Furniture, including Double and Single Beds and Vi-spring Mattresses; Bedroom Suites, Tables, etc.; Compactum Gent's Wardrobe, Shelley Tea-service (dozen), Hand-painted Blue and Gold Dinner service (doz.), Set of 4 dz. Cut-glass Glasses, Canteen of Community Plate Cutlery in Mahogany Cabinet (134 pces.), Solid Silver Tea and Coffee Service, Elkington Silver Salver, CARPETS (new condition) include Old-rose (plain) Axminster (12' x 12'), Buff Wilton (12' x 9'), Axminster Stair Carpet (17 yds.), English Turkish (14' x 11½'), Peach (plain) Carpet (24' x 13'),

KELVINATOR REFRIGERATOR, THOR ELEC. WASHER, ETC., ETC.

ON VIEW: SATURDAY, 25th INST., 10 a.m.-8 p.m., and Morning of Sale.

ADMISSION TO VIEW AND SALE by Ticket, 1/6 (non-returnable).

DELIVERY TUESDAY ONLY.

TERMS: Cash and 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

"FANAD," BRAY ROAD, FOXROCK.

THIS ATTRACTIVE DETACHED RESIDENCE FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in our Salerooms, on THURSDAY, 23rd APRIL, at 2.30 p.m.

"Fanad" is situate high above sea level, with views stretching from Killiney Hill across Dublin Bay. The design and lay-out are unique, being both attractive and practical, resulting in good-sized sunny rooms. It is in first-class order throughout and has no outlay whatsoever.

The accommodation comprises:—2 reception rooms, 4 family bedrooms, maid's room, etc.; modernly-equipped kitchen and pantries, with Esse cooker (option to purchase); sun balconies. Large garden, with tennis court; good out-buildings, garage, etc.

Long Leasc. Head Rent £20 p.a. Val. £32 15s. 0d.

ON VIEW any afternoon, including Sundays.

Solicitors: Messrs. JOHN B. HAMILL & CO., Earl Street, Dundalk.

"DALGUISE," MONKSTOWN ROAD, CO. DUBLIN.

WE have been instructed by the Executors of Sarah Dollard, decd., to cancel the Sale of the above property. Therefore, the Auction of this House and Furniture, as advertised, will not take place.

We wish to apologise for any inconvenience which may have been caused to the public, but this cancellation is due to circumstances over which we had no control.

GARVEY & GOOD, M.I.A.A.,

SURVEYORS, VALUERS AND AUCTIONEERS, LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

ALLEN & TOWNSEND.

HOUSE AND FURNITURE AUCTION,
14 LANSDOWNE ROAD, BALLSBRIDGE,
WEDNESDAY NEXT, APRIL 15th, at 12 o'clock,
ON THE PREMISES,
SELECT RESIDENTIAL HOUSE IN PREMIER LOCALITY
(AS ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED).

Grd. Rent, £7 16s. 8d. Lease 150 years from 1859.

Messrs. MOLLOY, FAYLE & CO., 18 Eustace St., Solicitors having Carriage of Sale.

Furniture comprises: SHERATON, MAHOGANY and OAK items; FRIGIDAIRE, as follows:—Walnut Upright Piano by Collard and Collard, Mahogany Sheraton Music Seat, Walnut 9-Piece Drawingroom Suite, Chesterfields, Shaped Top Walnut Card Table, Mahogany Davenport, Pierced Brass Fender, Ica Pocket Camera, some Books, Paintings, Mahogany Sheraton Sideboard, Oak Dining Table, Set of 6 Oak Dining Chairs, Room and Stair Carpets, Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite, Mahogany Beds, Antique Mahogany Bow Front Chest of Drawers, Frigidaire (Size 4) Refrigerator, Kitchen Furniture, Mangle, Garden Seat, Tools, Mower, Steps, Ladders, etc.

On View Tuesday, 10-5, and morning of Sale from 10.

HIGHLY-IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE OF ANTIQUE FURNITURE, SILVER, PLATE, PAINTINGS AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS, BRAGANSTOWN, CASTLEBELLINGHAM, CO. LOUTH,

THURSDAY NEXT, APRIL 16th, and following days, AT 12 O'CLOCK EACH DAY.

HAVING SOLD THE ESTATE, we are now instructed to dispose of the entire FURNITURE AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS, comprising: Antique Mahogany and Oak Furniture, Silver, Plate, Library of Books, China, Glass, Oil Paintings and Prints, Carpets and Rugs, large quantity of Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen Equipment, Lawn Mowers, Building Materials, etc. (as already fully advertised).

On View Tuesday and Wednesday next from 10.30 to 5.

Admission to View and Sale by Ticket only, 1/-.

Terms: Cash and 5 p.c. Auction fees.

Convenient 'bus services. Conveyance to and from 'bus has been arranged. Return fare from Castlebellingham 1/6.

Refreshments Licence obtained.

ALLEN & TOWNSEND,

F.S.I., F.A.I., M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneers, Chartered Surveyors and Valuers,
10 STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN. Tel.: 72691-2.

IMPORTANT SALE OF FARM MACHINERY, LORRIES AND TRAILERS, AT KELLS, CO. MEATH.

WE have received instructions from Mr. W. A. Curtis to
SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 15th APRIL, at 12 o'c.,
THE FOLLOWING:—

Tractor Trailer, new twin wheels, hand brake, built on Bedford Chasis; Tractor Trailer, in good condition; International Two-ton Truck, 1937, good condition; Fordson Truck, two-ton, 1936, fitted with new six H.D. tyres and creels; Dodge Truck, 1940, four to six ton, with creels, H.D. tyres as new, insured to January, 1943; Three-ton Bedford Lorry, 1938, with creels, perfect condition; Fordson Tractor on rubbers; Fordson Agricultural Tractor on Spade Lugs; one Twenty-four H.P. Overtime Threshing Tractor; Hornsby 3' Mill, perfect condition, complete with new belts; International Tractor Mower; Fordson Tractor, Junr., Mower; International 3½ H.P. Stationary Engine; one 7½ H.P. Slip Ring Electric Motor, complete with switches; Nicholson Wheel Rake; Massey Harris Self-acting Wheel Rake; one 12 Volt H.D. Delco Lighting Set, complete with batteries, as new; 3' 8" Circular Saw; one 32" Circular Saw; one Portable Forge, in good condition; one Fordson Truck, 1935, reconditioned, good running order; Deering 5' Binder; Woods Binder; Full-size Horse Sprayer; Fordson Clutch Pulley, as new; Tractor Trailer, good condition; Late-type Oliver Tractor Plough, in good condition; Fordson Tractor, Spade Lugs; quantity of New Iron Plus; one Fordson Tractor Lugs with 1940 Massey Harris Plough; one Crusher and Grinder, in good order; one 1937 V.8 Ford Forward Drive L.W.B. Lorry, rear heavy service tyres very good, good mechanical condition; one Blackstone 2-3½ H.P. Lighting Set, direct coupled to 110 Volt Dynamo, good order; one Nicholson Combined Crusher and Grinder, new condition; one Fordson Power Pulley Unit, complete; one All Metal Circular Saw Bench, complete with Saw; 1941 Ferguson Tractor, on Spade Lugs; Lighting Set with 10" Plough; one 16-20 Telsa Tractor; one No. 8 Pierce Mowing Machine; one Ransome Threshing 4' Mill, good working order; one Spring Tooth Harrow, shop soiled; Ladies' and Gent's S.H. Cycles, etc., etc.

Terms—Cash. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction fees.

T. & J. GAVIGAN,

Auctioneers, KELLS and DELVIN.

SALE AT 110 GRAFTON STREET, AT 2 P.M. NEXT TUESDAY.

CARAHOR, SHREWSBURY ROAD. Detached, non-basement house, with ¼ acre. Ground rent £12. Possession. Pembroke Lease.—ARTHUR COX & CO., Solicitors, 42 Stephen's Green.

DELVILLE, GLASNEVIN. Historic residence, with 7 acres 3 roods. Held free of rent for ever.—PETER M. SEALES, Solicitor, 20 Wicklow Street.

30 HERBERT PARK. Up-to-date, non-basement house, in first-class order. Lease 300 years. Ground rent £12.—MONKS & GAYNOR, Solicitors, 27 Molesworth Street.

3 TEMPLEMORE AVENUE, RATHGAR. Non-basement, brick-built house. Sold subject to £4 16s. 8d. per annum. Long Lease.—HAYES & SONS, Solicitors, 41-42 Nassau Street.

£49 5s. 5½d. PER ANNUM. Absolutely secure Profit Rent out of premises in Limerick. Printed Conditions of Sale on application.—BARRINGTON & SON, Solicitors, Ely Place, Dublin.

WELL-SECURED FEE-SIMPLE and Leasehold Ground Rents. Sale in four lots. Printed particulars with full rental on application.—RYAN & O'BRIEN, Solicitors, 35 Stephen's Green.

SALE TUESDAY, 21st APRIL.

CLONARD, TORQUAY ROAD, FOXROCK. Detached bungalow. Lease 900 years. Ground rent £10.—H. J. W. DOWNEY, LL.D., Solicitor, 118 Grafton Street.

SALE TUESDAY, 5th MAY.

55 WILFIELD ROAD, BALLSBRIDGE. Lease 145 years from 1939, subject to 1/- per annum. Let 5 years from October, 1939, at £84 10s. 0d., landlord paying rates.—J. H. MONTGOMERY & SON, Solicitors, 17 D'Olier Street.

FURNITURE SALE MONDAY NEXT.

ON VIEW TO-DAY.

3 TEMPLEMORE AVENUE, RATHGAR.

FINE ART SALE, THURSDAY NEXT, AT ROOMS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

JEWELLERY, SILVER (1,000 ozs.), OLD SHEFFIELD AND PLATED WARE, ETC.

Including: Diamond and Emerald Rings, Diamond and Pearl Double-drop Necklet, Pearl and Cabochon Emerald Necklace, Ropes of Pearls, one with Diamond Clasp; also other Jewellery in Pins, Brooches, etc., mounted in various stones. Gold Lockets, Chains, etc.

Silver and Plated Ware, including: Important Centrepiece, Salvers and Trays, Bowls, Teapots, Coffee Pots, Sugar Bowls, Cream Ewers, Tea Caddies, Table Services, Canteens of Cutlery, Tureens, Meat Dishes, some with covers; Tea Urns, Sauce Boats, Cigarette Boxes, Wine Funnels, Candelabra, Salt Cellars, Tea Sets, etc., etc. Also several Dressing Cases with Silver mounts.

ALSO ON DAY FOLLOWING (FRIDAY),
BOOKS, PORCELAIN, GLASSWARE, PICTURES, FURNITURE, PIANOFORTE, ETC.

Including: Antique Glass Standing Lights, Decanters, Dishes, Bowls, Preserve Jars, etc. Antique Porcelain Dessert Set, Vases, and Ornamental Items; Cloisonne, Satsuma, Benares, and other Ware.

Pictures and Engravings, Artist's Proof and other Etchings by A. Haig, Hedley Fitton, Levachez; also Oil Paintings by Native and other Artists.

BOOKS: Including Annals of the Four Masters, numbers of First Editions and Art Books.

FURNITURE: Antique Sideboards, Spinnett Toilet Table, Trio Tables, Dinner Wagon, Hunting and other Dining Tables, Screens, Mirrors, Occasional Inlaid and Antique Chairs and Tables, etc.; and Typewriters. Also, Boudoir Grand Pianoforte by Edward Westermayer.

On View day preceding from 10-5.

Admission to prevent overcrowding 1/-, by Ticket only.

SALE THURSDAY, 23rd APRIL, "CLONARD," TORQUAY ROAD, FOXROCK, FURNITURE, RADIO, HOOVER, ELECTRIC HEATER, ETC.

Including: Bookcase and Cabinet and Books, Chesterfield Settee, Lounge and Easy Chairs, Carved Armchair, Inlaid China Display Cabinet, Mahogany Pedestal Sideboard, Mahogany Dining Table, Mahogany Dining Chairs, Carpets, Rugs and Curtains, Electric Bowls, Sewing Machine, Sunderland and other Tables, Hall Chairs, Wagons, Pictures, Ornamental China, some pieces of Old Glass, Clocks, Plated Ware, Overmantels and Mirrors, Set of Tables, Work Table, Plant Stand, etc.

Oak and other Bedroom Suites, Mahogany and other Chests Drawers, Commode, Bedroom Chairs, Cupboards, Wardrobes and usual Bedroom Fittings, including Wooden Bedsteads with Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding.

Kitchen Dresser, Chairs, Tables, Culinary Utensils, etc., and Electric Heater, also Hoover Vacuum Cleaner.

Garden Tools, Lawn Mower, Wheelbarrow, Deck Chairs, Forcing Frame, Garden Tables and Chairs, Mangle, etc.

On View day preceding from 10-5.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

Auctioneers and Valuers, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

THOS. DOCKRELL

SONS & CO., LTD.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN
TELEPHONE 71351 (10 LINES) AND PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGE.

ARCHBOLD, CORRY & O'CONNOR'S SALES,

At 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY,
FRIDAY, 24th APRIL,
AT 2 O'CLOCK.

E I R E.
RECORD No. 1939-499.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
MR. JUSTICE BLACK.
Between
THE MUNSTER AND LEINSTER BANK, LTD. Plaintiffs;
And
JOHN VAUGHAN. Defendant.

The Licensed House and Premises, No. 212 Parnell street, in the City of Dublin, held under Indenture of Lease dated 7th December, 1908, for the term of 500 years from 1st November, 1908, subject to the yearly rent of £40. P.L.V. £65.

Purchasers will not be required to pay Auctioneers' commission.

J. H. WALSH & CO., Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 1 Lower Ormond quay.

60 and 61 FRANKFORT AVENUE, RATHGAR.

Held under Lease for 400 years from 1876, at £6 6s. 0d. Will be sold in one or two lots; let to monthly tenants—No. 60 at £60 yearly; P.L.V. £17 10s. 0d.; No. 61 at £57 2s. 0d. yearly; P.L.V. £21. Landlord pays rates.

GERALD BYRNE & CO., Solicitors, 7 Lower Ormond quay.

BONDED AND DUTY PAID SPIRITS, WINES, CHAMPAGNES & LIQUEURS

FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
At 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN,
TUESDAY, 21st APRIL, at 2.30 p.m.

Hhd D.W.D. 10-Yr.-Old, Qrs., Hhds., Puncheons of Rum, Sherry and Port, Champagne, Hennessy and Martell Brandies, Irish and Scotch Whiskies, Liqueurs, and about 14 Dozen Half Bottles Vintage Port (Take Holdsworth 1908).

Catalogues in course of preparation.

ARCHBOLD, CORRY & O'CONNOR,

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Auctioneers & Valuers, ('Phone 73500)
10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

ESKER, LUCAN, CO. DUBLIN. COMPACT HOLDING FOR SALE,

WITH COTTAGE THEREON,

Containing 14¼ Statute Acres. P.L.V. on Land £9, on Buildings £3. Annuity £9. Yard—containing loose boxes, tyings for 7 cows, stable with good loft, sheds, etc. Land well watered and fenced. Situated 6 miles from Dublin with good 'bus service.

Apply:

JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.

23 Acres at Donabate for Grazing.
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CORRUGATED IRON SHED FOR SALE AT FINGLAS.

In perfect condition, 90ft. x 30ft. by 20ft. high.

SAW BENCH AND TWO SAWS FOR SALE.

Saw Bench—Height 2ft. 6ins. Length 4ft. Width 2ft.
Saw Slot—2ft. 7ins.

Apply:

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Auctioneers, Valuers and Livestock Salesmen,
31 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN.

NILE LODGE, GALWAY

(On about 11¾ Acres).

The Residence of Dr. R. Bodkin Mahon.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
At OUR SALEROOMS, EYRE SQUARE,
THURSDAY, 23rd APRIL,
1942, 12 o'clock.

This is the most desirable and best-known residence in Galway, standing in its own attractive and well-walled grounds, beautifully situated, Southern aspect, and central for every purpose. The house, which is in excellent repair contains entrance hall, 3 large reception rooms, large lounge opening into conservatory, 4 principal